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Memorial Day Service.
Tuesday, May 30th, will be observed in the usual manner under the direction of the Grand Army Post of this city, as provided by law. Extra pronouncements are being made and it is expected that everybody will unite in this.

PROGRAM.

MONDAY NIGHT SERVICE.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 30TH.

THURSDAY, MAY 31ST.

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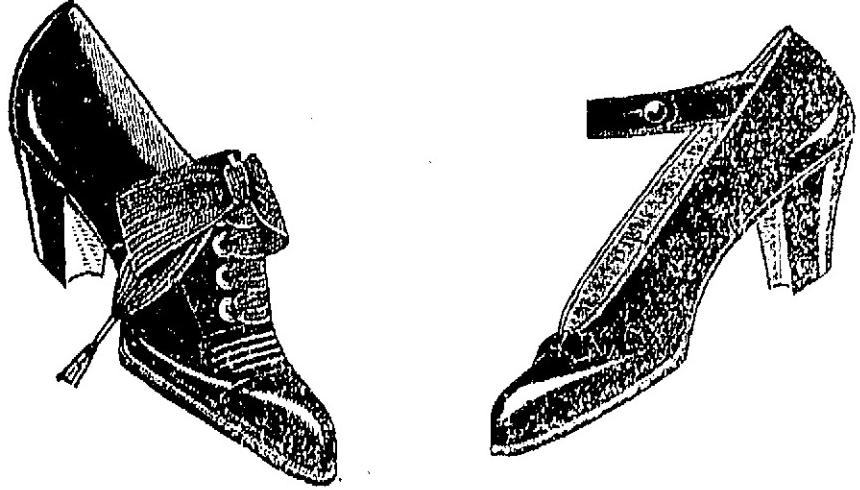
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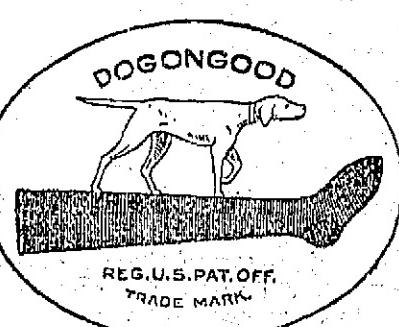
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The Choir, under direction of Mrs. I. P. Witter; The Speaker, Prof. H. J. Jackson; The Reader, Miss Francis Salisbury; The Chaplain; The Professor; Instructor; and the Conductor, will occupy the stage.

Ritual Service and Invocation.

Selection by Choir.

Select Reading.

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Oration.

Singing by Choir, "America," audience standing and participating.

Dismissal.

Please preserve this program.

J. W. Cochran, Commander.

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Found the Knife.

Prof. Norwood, the hypnotist, whose company is showing at the opera house this week, gave an exhibition on the street Monday afternoon that mystified a large crowd of spectators.

A committee consisting of four of our prominent citizens drove a team around several blocks in the city and upon their return had a small knife, tossing it into T. E. Nash's automobile as they passed.

The professor then took the knife, after being blindfolded, and drove the team over the same route in which it followed in the first place, bringing it back to the original starting point in front of Daly's drugstore. Then he got out of the rig and taking hold of the hand of one of the gentlemen, proceeded up street along the sidewalk. The auto where the knife lay was standing in the middle of the street, and he went past it, but seemed to recognize his mistake, and later went out into the road, and soon located the hidden property.

It was done very neatly and was certainly well worth watching by anybody who had never seen it done before.

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Death of W. A. Pors.

D. D. Conway received a telephone message on Tuesday from Attorney E. C. Pors at Marshfield stating that his father, W. A. Pors, had died that day. Mr. Pors was a lawyer by profession and was probably the oldest attorney in Wood County, having made his home in Marshfield for a number of years past. Mr. Pors was 81 years of age. The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon.

Giving a Good Show

The Norwoods at Daly's Theater this week are putting up a good show, pulling off some very amusing stunts in the hypnotic line.

Their mental telepathy work is also first class, and whether it is done by mental telepathy or some other way, it is handled in such a neat manner as to be very interesting.

Noted Architect Coming

Landscape Architect Warren H. Manning is expected to arrive in the city next Wednesday to remain the balance of the week. While here Mr. Manning will give a storeoption lecture, also the location and time cannot be given at this time.

Immediately after passing the entrance to Forest Hill Cemetery the procession will halt, forming in two lines, one on either side of the highway, and far enough apart so that the marching procession can be formed between them.

Marching procession will form as follows: City Band, Grand Army of the Republic, Woman's Relief Corps and counter-march by file left, will enter Main Entrance Forest Hill Cemetery and march northerly to the grave of our late deceased Comrade, John B. Grignon, in the Catholic cemetery, where the Ritual Services will be held.

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Following are the names of the graduates:

GERMAN COURSE.

Florence Natalie Arpin, Philip W. Gunning, Rose Caroline Ebert, Bessie Ellen Farrish, William F. Kellogg, Lenore C. Lemley, Katherine V. Moran, Elizabeth E. Nash, Isabel Nathalie Nash, Mae Ruth Schnabel, Beulah Marie Scarles, Arthur W. Smith, Raymond G. VanHoekelou, Florence Ethel Willmett.

MODERN CLASSICAL COURSE.

Leslie F. Boorman, Bernice J. Egger, Leland J. Hildeman, Donald P. Johnson, Katharine Steele, Alfred Thompson.

MANUAL TRAINING COURSE.

John Almond Burchell, Roland S. Burchell, Clarence J. Christiansen, Fred A. Getzlauf, Frank W. Gill,

Frank H. Manske.

ENGLISH COURSE.

Nina F. Carlson, Emmet T. Corcoran, Ethel Katherine Hayes, Mae Hannah Johnson, Hilda Marie Marston, Penitouille L. Maloy.

COMMERCIAL COURSE.

Elmer J. Baldwin, Michael J. Cepress, Lida C. Ekelund, Claude A. Lynn, Esther L. Schuman.

LATIN COURSE.

Curtis D. Boorman.

Class Motto—"Learn to Live."

Class Colors—Lavender and White.

Class Flower—White Rose.

Cheap Hay.

I have just received two carloads of choice prairie hay which I am selling at the low price of \$16 per ton. Don't fail to get in on this bargain if you are in need of hay.

Mrs. A. Krieger and daughter, Mrs. N. Tomczyk, departed on Friday for Milwaukee.

H. H. Sydow.

West Side Floor and Feed Store.

COMMERCIAL CLUB IS ORGANIZED.

A meeting was held at the Amusement hall last Thursday evening for the purpose of organizing the Commercial Club, and sixty-five of our citizens were in attendance. This was considered very good, as the evening was very warm and pleasant for being out doors.

Attorney Leo L. Williams stated the object of the meeting and was elected chairman with Gen. W. Paulus as secretary. The articles of incorporation were read, and later the bylaws, and after some discussion they were adopted unanimously.

A committee consisting of T. A. Taylor, E. W. Ellis, O. R. Roenigk, M. G. Gordon and D. D. Coway was appointed by the chair as a nominating committee to select a set of officers and directors for the new association, and they reported as follows:

President—I. P. Winter.

Vice Pres.—E. P. Arpin.

Secretary—G. W. Paulus.

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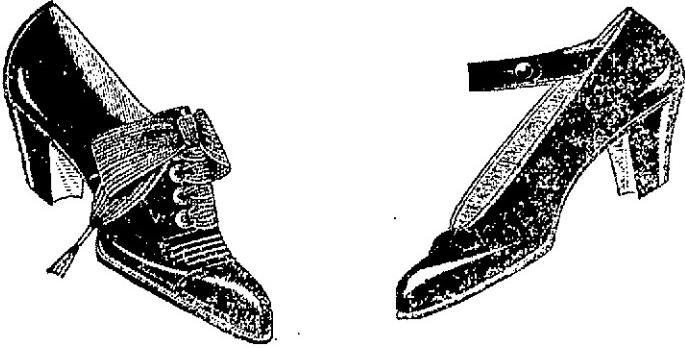
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A dinner will be served at the Congregational church on Friday evening of this week at 7 o'clock. Dr. Thomas Bay, who has charge of the tuberculosis sanatorium near Stevens Point, will deliver an address on the prevention and cure of tuberculosis. All men are invited. A charge of 35 cents per plate will be made.

Giving a Good Show

The Norwoods at Daly's Theater this week are putting up a good show, pulling off some very amusing stunts in the hypnotic line.

Their mental telepathy work is also first class, and whether it is done by mental telepathy or some other way, it is handled in such a neat manner as to be very interesting.

Noted Architect Coming

Landscape Architect Warren H. Manning is expected to arrive in the city next Wednesday to remain the balance of the week. While here Mr. Manning will give a stereopticon lecture, altho the location and time cannot be given at this time.

BIRTHS

A twelve pound daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mundak of the west side on Monday.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pelot, town of Rudolph.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Madsen, Port Edwards.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McCleary.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. George Whitrock.

Roy Kammerer arrived home on Tuesday night from Milwaukee to spend several weeks with his mother, and nursed a broken arm, the accident occurring last week while he was engaged in cracking an automobile.

At the Novelty store
M. A. BOGORER

Over \$50,000

loss from windstorm last Friday to property in Wood and Marathon Counties that had no insurance.

Don't wait for such a lesson when it will only cost you 40 CENTS per \$100 for 3 years. We make a specialty of this kind of Insurance and write it for you whether we have the fire policy or not.

Don't delay—it is cheaper to be protected.

Taylor & Scott

PHONE 364.

Open - Every - Saturday - Evening

FINED \$25 FOR ILLEGAL FISHING

Frank Hilgers, who lives near Biron, was arrested by Game Warden Cole on Saturday night on a charge of netting fish and upon being brought before Justice Brown in this city plead guilty to the charge and was fined \$25.00 which with the costs amounted to \$32.00.

Wm. Haun was also arrested by the Game Warden on a charge of resisting an officer but pleaded not guilty to the charge, and his case was adjourned until a week from next Monday.

Quite a bit of excitement was caused up Biron way by the arrest, as several shots were fired and the report got about that one man had been badly wounded in the混up.

The story as told by Game Warden Cole was to the effect that he and Dr. Whitehorn of Vesper went up to Biron Saturday evening, where they caught Frank Hilgers and a younger companion engaged in catching fish with a net. Hilgers was nabbed by the game warden and the net confiscated. In the meantime, the younger boy ran to the home of William Haun near by and informed Mr. Haun and Martin Hilgers what was taking place. The older men appeared on the scene and Mr. Haun demanded that his net be given up, but this the warden refused to do, stating that it was the property of the state of Wisconsin.

Then Mr. Haun attempted to take the net away from the game warden, and in the scrumming a revolver in the hands of the warden was discharged, the bullet scraping the skin from Mr. Haun's forehead. The gun was fired up to one hundred and twenty-five.

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It is the intention to hire a good man for industrial agent, as it is considered that the success of the Club will depend largely upon this man's ability.

COMMERCIAL CLUB IS ORGANIZED.

A meeting was held at the Amusement hall last Thursday evening for the purpose of organizing the Commercial Club, and sixty-five of our citizens were in attendance. This was considered very good, as the evening was very warm and pleasant for being out of doors.

Attorney Geo. L. Williams stated the object of the meeting and was elected chairman with Geo. W. Paulus as secretary. The articles of incorporation were read, and later the by-laws and after some discussion they were adopted unanimously.

A committee consisting of T. A. Taylor, E. W. Ellis, O. R. Roenius, M. G. Gordon and D. D. Conway was appointed by the chair as a nominating committee to select a set of officers and directors for the new association, and they reported as follows:

President—J. P. Witmer,
Vice Pres.—E. P. Arpin,
Secretary—G. W. Paulus,
Treasurer—C. F. Kellogg,

Directors—F. J. Wood, Earle M. Pease, Geo. F. Williams, C. E. Balow and B. Frank.

These others and directors were unanimously elected by those present.

Something over one hundred men have signed their intention of becoming members of the new Club, and it is expected that there will be others, probably enough to bring the total up to one hundred and twenty-five.

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Memorial Day Service.

Tuesday, May 30th, will be observed in the usual manner under the direction of the Grand Army Post of this city, as provided by law. Extra preparations are being made, and it is expected that everybody will unite in the march to the cemetery on this most fitting remembrance of the dead.

PROGRAM.

FORENOON: 9:30 o'clock. All honorably discharged soldiers and sailors of the civil war Woman's Relief Corps, and City Band assemble in front of Concourse House Park: Autos will be assembled there in waiting to convey them to the cemetery.

M. A. Arpin, who is an Honorary Member of the G. A. R. Post, has very generously volunteered to arrange for a sufficient number of autos, and the auto procession will move under his direction. Private carriages and conveyances are requested to proceed to the cemetery before 10 A. M.

Immediately after passing the entrance to Forest Hill Cemetery the autos will halt, forming in two lines, one on either side of the highway, and far enough apart so that the marching procession can be formed between them.

Marching procession will form as follows: City Band, Grand Army of the Republic, Woman's Relief Corps and counterpart by the left, will enter Main Entrance Forest Hill Cemetery and march northward to the grave of our late deceased Comrade, John B. Grignon, in the Catholic cemetery, where the Ritual Services will be held.

AFTERNON: 2 o'clock sharp: G. A. R. and Woman's Relief Corps assemble at Post-room. Post procession and march to Opera House in time to enter at 2:30 o'clock sharp. Chairs will be reserved for them in front: Relief Corps on the left, Veterans on the right of the center aisle.

The Choir, under direction of Mrs. F. E. Witmer; The Speaker, Prof. M. H. Jackson; The Reader, Miss Francis Salisbury; The Chaplain; The Patriotic Instructor; and the Commander, will occupy the stage.

BIRTHS

Oration, "Leadership of Educated Men"; Fred A. Getz of

Reading, "Cherokee Rose";

Rose and Violets"; "Bye, Bye,

High School Girls' Chorus Reading, "The Swan Song";

Bethel Marie Martinson Oration, "Liberty Under Law";

Donald P. Johnson Reading, "Dolores Defies the King";

Lenore C. Lemley Valedictory, "The Value of an Idea"; Isabel Nathalie Nash

"The Angelus," Roma;

Mrs. E. B. Redford Presentation of Diplomas.

Following are the names of the graduates:

GERMAN COURSE.

Florence Natalie Arpin, Philip W. Gauvin, Rose Caroline Ebert, Jessie Ellen Farrish, William F. Kellie, Clarence J. Christiansen, Lenore C. Lemley, Katherine V. Moran, Elizabeth E. Nash, Isabel Nathalie Nash, Mae Ruth Schnebel, Cecilia Marie Seaman, Arthur W. Smith, Raymond G. VanHekelon, Florence Ethel Willmett.

MODERN CLASSICAL COURSE.

Leslie F. Boorman, Bernice J. Corcoran, Ethel Katherine Hayes, Mae Hannah Johnson, Hilda Marie Martinson, Petronilla L. Metroy.

COMMERCIAL COURSE.

Elmer J. Baldwin, Michael J. Cepress, Lida C. Ekholm, Claude A. Lynn, Esther L. Schuman.

LATIN COURSE.

Curtis D. Boorman, Class Motto—Learn to Live.

Class Colors—Lavender and White.

Class Flower—White Rose.

Cheap Hay.

I have just received two carloads of choice prairie hay which I am selling at the low price of \$16 per ton. Don't fail to get in on this bargain if you are in need of hay.

H. H. Sydow.

West Side Flour and Feed Store.

COMMENCEMENT AT THE LINCOLN

There will be some doing at the Lincoln high school next week, when the annual commencement exercises will occur. The affair starts on Monday evening and continues through much all week with just an occasional intermission in which to catch their breath.

The entertainment on Monday evening will be class play entitled "A Little Game With Fate"; besides some other numbers, of which the following is a program:

Music—Selected

GRAND RAPIDS, WIS.

MODERN SCHOOL OF MARINERS.

The old saying that there is no loss without some gain is borne out by the change which has been wrought in the country's shipping. There has been much lament over the decadence of the famous Yankee seafarers, but after the passing of the clipper and whaling fleets at last has come to the high seas a new breed of Americans who are the equals if not the superiors of the old. The mechanical genius of the nation has sent many young men to the steamships of the navy and the merchant marine, says the Cleveland Leader. Ninety per cent. of the sailor-mechanics of the United States navy are American born. Twenty years ago, the proportion of Americans on merchant vessels was only about 30 per cent. In 1910 the proportion was 49 per cent., the natives heavily predominating over the naturalized. The showing for this year will be even better, as the movement of Americans to the sea has been steadily increasing for several years. In many ways the mariners of the new school are better than the old salts that heaved at the captain's bar and lay out on the end of the yardarm. The demands of steam and electrical machinery require a different kind of skill and more intelligence. The constant advance of mechanics and electrical science makes it necessary for them to keep mentally fresh and alert. They know more and are more progressive than the old-time sailor and in their habits they are cleaner.

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Blind psychic impulse leads beautiful women to the selection of ugly men, according to a Canadian observer, who adds that it not infrequently leads to a fat bank account. Blind? no; psychic? relatively; Impulse?

David Starr Jordan would abolish college baseball because of the "scientific muckraking" in joshing the players. In professional baseball the muckraker is far more scientific but less classical.

The Krupps have a monopoly in a projectile which will hit a balloon. It is likely that two or three men will have a monopoly in being in the balloon!

The Wisconsin boys who save themselves labor by having a phonograph call the cows out of the pasture are perfectly willing to rely upon human lungs for the dinner announcement.

People who have nothing else of importance to do are arguing the question, "Does the robin sing or does he merely chirp?" It is almost as exciting as playing chess.

"All the epidemic and local diseases thrive upon the family cat," asserts an authority. This may explain why the animal is endowed with nine lives.

A rope manufacturer has just been made a director in a cigar company. Almost anybody could say something about the fitness of things here.

A tunnel nine miles long through the Alps has just been completed. It had to hurry up to get finished before the airship made it a back number.

Thieves in Brooklyn stole a ton of coal from a citizen's cellar, which shows that the simple life cannot be entirely extinct.

Washington has a club of girl aviators. Women refuse to stay down in those days of change and reform.

In Massachusetts cities of over 60,000 can have Sunday baseball. This will boom the cities.

The fly ought to die. But you will fail to reach him in many cases, so that screens are still useful.

Anyway, the Easter casualty list will not compare with that of July 4.

China is to have a new cabinet. Fine! A China cabinet, doubtless.

WHELAN MEASURE KILLED IN HOUSE

Bill That Might Protect the "Black Hand" Defeated.

TO DECREASE FOREST FIRES

Joint Resolution May Be Introduced in the Assembly Calling for a Legislative Investigation Into the Dietz Episode.

Madison.—The specter of the "Black Hand" society caused the lower house of the Wisconsin legislature to kill the Whelan bill, making it a criminal offense to publish the secret ritual work of any fraternal organization.

Assemblyman Newcomb Spoor of Green Lake county, who lives near granite quarries where hundreds of citizens work, said the Whelan bill, if passed, would practically prevent the authorities from getting any information about the operation of the "Black Hand" in Wisconsin.

A bill introduced in the senate prohibits setting any fire in the northern part of the state, except for warming persons and cooking food, between April 1 and November 1, unless permission is given in writing by the county fire warden, the fire patrol, or a Justice of the peace. The bill is intended to protect that part of the state against forest fires. Another bill requires locomotives and engines of all kinds to be equipped with spark arresters, closed fireboxes and ashpans. A third bill appropriates \$250,000 annually for ten years for the purchase of additional forest reserve land.

Bills were recommended for passage regarding hotels, railway companies and proprietors of other public places to furnish their places with cuspidors and individual towels.

Assemblyman Thomas Mahon introduced a bill for a commission to supervise the state labor department, and all industrial agencies in the state and administer the industrial accident law recently passed. The bill permits girls sixteen years of age and over to work in factories. The minimum age limit now is eighteen years.

The income tax bill, pending in the assembly, is to be amended so as to tax corporations at the same rate as private persons, and to allow taxes paid on personal property to be offset against an income.

There is a possibility of the introduction in the assembly at an early date of a joint resolution calling for the legislative investigation into the Dietz episode, from the time the Dietz's troubles first began and including his trial and conviction on the charge of murder.

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The fact that they are imposing a fearful burden on the poor postmasters in asking them to look over all the mail passing through their hands during a Wisconsin campaign bothers the authors of this remarkable production not at all.

Two years ago, a joint resolution calling upon the officials of Sawyer county to dismiss the indictments and withdraw the warrants against Dietz was introduced by Assemblyman Dub of Euclid, a Republican. This measure was defeated in the lower house by a close vote of 42 to 40. Since that time much has happened in the Dietz imbroglio.

Adhering to their platform pledge, the Senate Republicans advanced the McConnell second choice primary bill, known these many years as the "Mary Ann" bill. Three members made speeches, Senator Whitehead, Sanborn and Gaylord. In the end the vote was 15 to 9 for the bill, the opponents being Albers, Burke, Gaylord, James, Randolph, Snover, Thomas, Whitehead, Zophy and Lyons.

The Senate passed the assembly bill limiting the hours of work on public buildings to eight except in extreme emergencies such as fire, flood or war. Senator Sanborn presented the resolution for advancement of business and it was referred to the calendar.

The Senate passed the bill making the insurance commissioner an appointive officer, the vote being 12 to 10.

Troop A of the Wisconsin National Guard may get an additional appropriation of \$2,500 after all. The bill which had such hard sledding for two months came up in the assembly again, and was advanced, the decisive vote being 41 to 36. Rosser led the fight against the bill on a point of order.

Frockhhausen and Weber, Social Democrats, opposed reconsideration of the bill.

NEW WISCONSIN CORPORATIONS.

Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of Secretary of State Prent as follows:

The Handy Utensil company, an Oklahoma corporation with \$15,000 capital and \$10,000 interest in Wisconsin, filed a statement to do business in the state.

Nollis Realty and Investment company, Nellisville; capital, \$25,000; incorporators, William L. Smith, Charles H. Decker and Homer C. Clark.

Gross Marble Works, Milwaukee; capital \$300,000; incorporators, A. C. Lingebach, C. J. Chittenden and G. B. Freeman.

White Lake Land company, Eau Claire; capital, \$200,000; incorporators, A. L. Arpin, George L. Williams and W. H. Reeves.

Smith-Anderson company, Wausau; capital, \$25,000; incorporators, Orin Anderson, George A. Robicheau and H. H. Stenge.

George McKerrow & Sons company, Pewaukee; capital, \$25,000; incorporators, George McKerrow, Belle McKerrow and W. A. McKerrow.

State Doctors Will Convene.

About 400 Wisconsin physicians are expected in Waukesha on June 7, 8 and 9 for the annual meeting of the State Medical Society. Dr. Byron M. Caples, president, has selected as headquarters the Resthaven hotel. Two of Boston's most distinguished physicians, Dr. R. C. Cabot and Dr. Joel C. Goldthwait, will give addresses on Wednesday evening, June 7, a smoker will be given at the Moor baths, and on Thursday evening a banquet at Resthaven. On Friday all visitors will be given a trolley ride,

Review State's Plan of Keeping Books. A summary of the special report of the state fair commission on the finances of the state, compiled for the legislature, was submitted to that body. The gathering and compiling of the data was done under the direction of A. E. James, statistician of the commission.

On the average for the seven-year period (1903-1909) the revenue receipts totaled \$6,214,606.67 out of a total for all receipts of \$7,382,999.29, or 84.18 per cent. In 1909 the total revenue receipts were \$6,500,967.97 out of \$9,811,519.19, or 80.64 per cent. During the period of years covered in the investigation, receipts as a whole increased from \$6,814,792.30 in 1903 to \$9,811,519.19 in 1909. Revenue receipts increased during the same period from \$6,441,083.61 to \$8,500,957.97.

The state accounts are not kept in a single fund, says the report, but differentiation is sought in the classification of payments by subdividing the accounts into a number of funds. So far as these funds amount to the segregation of the state's obligations as trustee from its general disbursements, the practice is not only proper but is very necessary. So far as it amounts, however, to the setting up of separate appropriation accounts as funds it has the effect of splitting up the state's money and making much of it unavailable for the claims for money coming in, even though apparently there is plenty of money in the treasury.

Gleasons End Convention. The tenth annual convention of the Wisconsin Gleasons came to an end with the installation of officers at the Presbyterian church. The officers are as follows:

President—A. H. Van Tassel, Beloit.

Vice-President—R. E. Thomas, Madison.

Secretary and Treasurer—F. G. Hendriksen, Fond du Lac.

Chaplain—A. H. Hahn, Madison.

At the meeting S. E. Hill of Beloit, in response to an address of welcome by Dr. Edmund B. Patterson of the Methodist church, said:

"The Christian Commercial Travelers' Association of America has been the greatest cause of giving traveling men better standing before the world."

Doctor Patterson in his address expressed the view that ministers have as many temptations as traveling men, the ministry being the laziest profession in the world and the tendency toward taking things easy was ever to be guarded against. He added that the Gleasons are a blessing wherever they go.

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People who have nothing else of importance to do are arguing the question, "Does the robin sing or does he merely chirp?" It is almost as exciting as playing chess.

"All the epidemic and local diseases thrive upon the family cat," asserts an authority. This may explain why the animal is endowed with nine lives.

A rope manufacturer has just been made a director in a cigar company. Almost anybody could say something about the fitness of things here.

A tunnel nine miles long through the Alps has just been completed. It had to hurry up to get finished before the airship made it a back number.

Thieves in Brooklyn stole a ton of coal from a citizen's cellar, which shows that the simple life cannot be entirely extinct.

Washington has a club of girl aviators. Women refuse to stay down in these days of change and reform.

In Massachusetts cities of over 50,000 can have Sunday baseball. This will boom the cities.

The fly ought to die. But you will fail to reach him in many cases, so screens are still useful.

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WHELAN MEASURE KILLED IN HOUSE

GRAND RAPIDS, WIS.

MODERN SCHOOL OF MARINERS.

Bill That Might Protect the "Black Hand" Defeated.

TO DECREASE FOREST FIRES

Joint Resolution May Be Introduced in the Assembly Calling for a Legislative Investigation Into the Dietz Episode.

Madison.—The specter of the "Black Hand" society caused the lower house of the Wisconsin legislature to kill the Whelan bill, making it a criminal offense to publish the secret ritual, or work of any fraternal organization.

Assemblyman Newcomb Spoor of Green Lake county, who lives near granite quarries where hundreds of Chinese work, said the Whelan bill, if it passed, would practically prevent the authorities from getting any information about the operation of the "Black Hand" in Wisconsin.

A bill introduced in the senate prohibits setting fire in the northern part of the state, except for warming persons and cooking food, between April 1 and November 1, unless permission is given in writing by the county fire warden, the fire patrol, or Justice of the peace. The bill is intended to protect that part of the state against forest fires. Another bill requires locomotives and engines of all kinds to be equipped with spark arresters, closed fireboxes and ashpans.

A third bill appropriates \$250,000 annually for ten years for the purchase of additional forest reserve land.

Bills were recommended for passage requiring hotels, railway companies and proprietors of other public places to furnish their places with extinguishers and individual tools.

Assemblyman Thomas Mahon introduced a bill for a commission to superintend the state labor department, and the bill was referred to the state and industrial accident law committee.

"The Christian Commercial Travelers Association of America has been the greatest cause of giving traveling men a better standing before the world."

Boettin Pitterson in his address expressed the view that ministers have as many temptations as traveling men, the ministry being the hardest profession in the world and the tendency toward taking things easy was ever to be guarded against. He added that the Gideons are a blessing wherever they go.

A. H. T. Moore, national president of the order, told of the wide extent of the convention movement among the traveling men of the United States and in Canada. During the program Mrs. Belle Porter Heath referred to the charge of murder.

The matter has been discussed by Social Democratic members, and the representatives of that party here will confer soon on the advisability of seeking a new constitution.

Individually, many members of the house, particularly those in the Socialist fold, feel that Dietz's guilt was not convincingly established at the trial, and that it was virtually "half road." It is believed by some that Dietz is mentally unbalanced and that if given an opportunity, properly qualified counsel could secure a new trial in which insanity might be pleaded.

Two years ago, a joint resolution calling upon the officials of Sawyer county to dismiss the indictments and withdraw the warrants against Dietz was introduced by Assemblyman Deubel of Eau Claire, a Republican. This measure was defeated in the lower house by a close vote of 42 to 40. Since that time much has happened in the Dietz imbroglio.

Adhering to their platform pledge, the senate Republicans advanced the McConnell second choice primary bill, known these many years as the "Mary Ann" bill. Three members made speeches. Senators Whitehead, Sandborn and Gaylord. In the end the vote was 10 to 9 for the bill, the opponents being Alberts Burko, Gaylord, Jones, Randolph, Shover, Thomas, Whitehead, Zophy and Lyons.

The fact that they are imposing a fearful burden on the poor postmasters in asking them to look over all the mail passing through their hands during a Wisconsin campaign bothers the authors of this remarkable production not at all.

Plan Big Athletic Meet.

A track meet between alumnus athletes and this year's team track, together with a baseball game between the alumnus of Chicago and those of Milwaukee, to be held during commencement week, were arranged by the executive committee of the Alumni Association of the University of Wisconsin at its last meeting. The reunion of athletes and the athletic contests are new features of alumnus day of commencement week, which has been fixed for June 20.

During the session the assembly will include the hours of work on public buildings to eight except in extreme emergencies such as fire, flood or war. Senator Sandborn presented the resolution for advancement of business and it was referred to the calendar. The senate passed the bill making the insurance commissioner an appointive officer, the vote being 12 to 10.

Troop A of the Wisconsin National Guard may get an additional appropriation of \$2,500 after all. The bill which has had much hard sledding for two months came up in the assembly again, and was advanced, the decisive vote being 41 to 36. Hoessler led the fight against the bill on a point of order. Brockhausen and Weber, Social Democrats, opposed reconsideration of the bill.

New Wisconsin Corporations.

Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of Secretary of State Foy as follows:

The Handy Utensil company, an Oklahoma corporation with \$15,000 capital and \$10,000 interest in Wisconsin, filed a statement to do business in the state.

Nollsville Realty and Investment Company, Nollsville; capital, \$25,000; incorporators, William L. Smith, Charles H. Decker and Homer C. Clark.

Grose Marble Works, Milwaukee; capital \$300,000; incorporators, A. C. Linkenbach, C. J. Cocchi and G. B. Freeman.

White Lake Land company, East Claire; capital, \$250,000; incorporators, A. C. Arpin, George L. Williams and W. H. Stenge.

Smith-Anderson company, Waupaca; capital, \$25,000; incorporators, Orlie Anderson, George A. Koblicha and H. H. Stenge.

George McKerrow & Sons company, Pownal; capital, \$25,000; incorporators, George McKerrow, Belle McKerrow and W. A. McKerrow.

State Doctors Will Convene.

About 400 Wisconsin physicians are expected in Waukesha on June 7, 8 and 9 for the annual meeting of the State Medical Society. Dr. Byron M. Caples, president, has selected as headquarters the Rosthaven hotel. Two of Boston's most distinguished physicians, Dr. R. C. Cabot and Dr. Joel C. Goldsmith, will give addresses. On Wednesday evening, June 7, a smoker will be given at the Moor house, and on Thursday evening a banquet at Rosthaven. On Friday all visitors will be given a trolley ride.

Many Desire State Jobs.

Indications point to a record number of candidates at the state civil service examinations to be held here in June. The examinations are for positions as pen copyist, general clerk and bookkeeper, cheese factory inspector, creamery inspector, deputy state marshal, firearms family officer and matron, guard, janitor for capitol, university and normal schools, teacher for capitol, laundry man, plumber, steamer, teachers for state institutions, trained nurse and attendant.

Votes for Aldrich Plan.

Davenport, Ia.—At their annual meeting in this city group 8 of the Iowa Bankers' association endorsed the Aldrich currency plan.

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Sherman, Tex.—James McCarney, former attorney general of Illinois and member of congress from a Chicago district, died at a local sanitarium here after a short illness.

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ROUGH ON THE DOVE



UPHOLD MOVE TO CHANGE SITE

ASSEMBLY DOWNS MOTION TO RECONSIDER VOTE OF RESOLUTION.
ATTACKS MORMON CHURCH

Gettle Resolution for Constitutional Amendment Prohibiting Polygamy Was Adopted—Oahu Bills Also Given Consideration.

Madison.—By a vote of 44 to 37, the assembly defeated the o'conor motion to reconsider the vote by which the Plowman resolution, authorizing the commissioner of public lands to secure options to a suitable site for the state fair, was adopted.

The movement to take the fair away from Milwaukee has assumed a serious aspect and Milwaukee members intend to get busy to head it off.

With Speaker Hough encouraging old-time agricultural shows and county fairs, the race horse bill introduced by the committee on agricultural exhibits is expected to create a big stir. Formerly the state paid 50 per cent of the total premiums with not more than one-third for the races.

The bill further provides that any county or agricultural association which holds a fair within a week when the state fair is in progress, shall forfeit all right to state aid.

Declaring that as the Mormon church is as great a menace to the country as any great special interest in Wall street, Assemblyman Gettle made a plea for his joint resolution memorializing congress to call a convention to propose an amendment to the constitution of the United States prohibiting polygamy. The toleration of polygamy is a national insult to womanhood and childhood. The resolution was adopted by a vote of 46 to 36.

The assembly committee on the welfare of women and children reported in a new labor bill for women, which provides a ten-hour workday and not more than fifty-five hours a week, and establishes eight hours work at night as a maximum.

The assembly by a vote of 42 to 36, killed the Streit bill abolishing the present state oil inspection department and giving the inspection work to the state dairy and food department. General Newark, the defeated federal commander, whose life was threatened by angry mobs of manufacturers, was spirited away by Francisco I. Madero himself to the American side of the Rio Grande and is safely ensconced in the home of friends in El Paso.

Provisional President Madero in a statement charged that General Orozco's actions were incited by "persons interested in bringing about disruption among us."

General Orozco called on Madero and the men who were in danger, and General Orozco in a moment of passion ordered the arrest of the little rebel leader and demanded the resignation of the provisional chief of staff, the captain of the provisional government forces.

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The assembly adopted the Hahn bill relating to the Sherman antitrust law and asking congress to establish certain exemptions.

Milwaukee will be without a probation officer. The assembly killed the bill providing for such an official at a salary of \$1,500.

The new hospital for the criminal insane will probably be built at Waupun as the Ballard bill, naming Waupun as the site, was advanced to engrossment.

DEITZ IS NOW IN WAUPUN

Great Reception at Chippewa Falls—Convicted Man Expresses Pleasure

Waupun, Wis.—John Dietz was brought to the state prison Wednesday, May 17, accompanied by Sheriff Clark and a deputy. He was not manacled, and talked and laughed in a jolly manner. A small crowd was at the station and bunches of people gathered on the corners along the route to the prison.

The sheriff allowed Dietz to drink a bottle of gas—apple juice—and have a cigar, while the other men refreshed themselves with a glass of beer. This was in a saloon on the main street. Dietz walked through the prison gates as if not at all worried, looking observantly at the grounds and the high building. In the office he was put through the usual routine of questions and assigned to the office for Bertillen measurements, bath, prison clothes, etc. Warden Towne said his number would not be given him for a day or two.

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Moving Time Fails.

Hillsboro—Lute Purdy, aged 28, a prominent jeweler, dropped dead in the street from heart trouble. He was about to move to Bangor.

Lime Shipments Large.

Washington—Nine hours after he had fallen or jumped from the third story to a veranda below at the Garfield hospital, Phillip Bayard of Washington, Del., a son of the late Thomas F. Bayard, who was secretary of state, died here.

To Have \$1,000,000 Temple.

Washington—Work will begin immediately on the construction of a \$1,000,000 temple for the Scottish Rite Masons here, for whom contract has just been let. President Tilly will lay the cornerstone in October.

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Worried Over Franz Josef.

London—The bores of Vienna and Budapest are depressed because of renewed reports of Emperor Franz Josef's falling health. It has been denied he is ailing, but the statement apparatus for radium baths was sent to Godollo has reawakened uneasiness.

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SUPREME COURT ORDERS WINDUP OF STANDARD OIL

Justices Hand Down a Drastic Decision Disposing of Five-Year Fight to Outlaw the Rockefeller Corporation.

Washington—The Standard oil trust must be dissolved. This is the decision of the Supreme court of the United States handed down May

The Third Degree

A NARRATIVE OF
METROPOLITAN LIFE
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SYNOPSIS.

Howard Jeffries, banker's son, under the evil influence of Robert Underwood, a fellow-student at Yale, leads a life of dissipation, marries the daughter of a gambler who died in prison, and is discovered by his father, who has got word of his failings. Former college classmate makes a business proposition to Howard which requires \$200 each, and Howard is broke. Robert Underwood, who had been repudiated by Howard's wife, Aileen, in his earliest days, and became a notorious drunkard, Aileen's husband, has apartments at the Astorians and is apparently in prosperous circumstances. Howard receives a \$50 loan to Underwood that remains unpaid, and decides to ask him for the \$200 he needs.

CHAPTER III.

The handsome townhouse of Howard Jeffries, the well-known banker, on Riverside Drive, was one of the most striking among the many imposing millionaire homes that line the city's splendid water front. Houses there were in the immediate proximity which were more showy and had cost more money, but none as completely satisfying from the art lover's standpoint. It was the home of a man who studied and loved the beautiful for its own sake and not because he wanted to astonish people with what miracles his money could work. Occupying a large plot on slightly elevated ground, the house commanded a fine view of the broad Hudson. Directly opposite, across the river, busy with steams and sailing craft, snuffed the green slopes of New Jersey; in the purplish north frowned the jagged cliffs of the precipitous Palisades.

The elder Jeffries, aristocratic descendant of an old Knickerbocker family, was proud of his home and had spent large sums of money in beautifying it. Built in colonial style of pure white marble with long French windows and lofty columns supporting a flat, rounded roof surrounded by broad lawns wide-spreading shade trees and sprawling fountains, it was a conspicuous landmark for miles. The interior was full of architectural beauty. The stately entrance hall, hung with ancestral portraits, was of noble proportions, and a superb staircase, decorated with statuary, led off to tastefully decorated reception rooms above. To-night the house was brilliantly illuminated and there was considerable activity at the front entrance, where a footman in smart livery stood opening the doors of the carriages as they drove up in quiet succession.

Mrs. Jeffries' musicals were always largely attended because she knew the secret of making them interesting. Her husband's wealth and her fine house enabled her to entertain on a liberal scale, and she was a tactful and diplomatic hostess as well. She not only cultivated the right kind of people who were congenial to each other, but she always managed to have some guest of special distinction whom every one was eager to meet. Her own wide acquaintance among the prominent operatic artists and her husband's influential position in the world of finance made this policy an easy way of furthering her social ambitions. She would always invite some one whom she could present as the lion of the evening. One week it would be a tenor from the opera house, another time a famous violinist. In this way she managed to create a little artistic salon on the lines of the famous political salons in which the brilliant women of the eighteenth century molded public opinion in France.

Aileen knew she was clever and as she stood admiring herself in front of a full length mirror while awaiting the arrival of her guests she congratulated herself that she had made a success of her life. She had won those things which most women hold dear—wealth and social position. She had married a man she did not love, it was true, but other women had done that before her. If she had not brought her husband love she at least was not a wife he need be ashamed of. In her Paquin gown of gold cloth, with sweeping train and a jeweled tiara in her hair, she considered herself handsome enough to grace any man's home. It was indeed a beauty which she saw in the mirror—the face of a woman, not yet 30, with the features regular and refined. The eyes were large and dark and the mouth and nose delicately molded. The face seemed academically perfect, all but the expression. She had a cold, calculating look, and a cynical might have charged her with being heartless, of stopping at nothing to gain her own ends.

To-night Alicia had every reason to feel jubilant. She had secured a social lion that all New York would talk about—no less a person than Dr. Bernstein, the celebrated psychologist, the originator of the theory of scientific psychology. Everything seemed to go the way she wished; her musicals were the talk of the town; her husband had just presented her with the jeweled tiara which now graced her head; there seemed to be nothing in the world that she could not enjoy.

Yet she was not happy, and as she gazed at the face reflected before her in the glass she wondered if the world guessed how unhappy she was. She knew that by her own indiscretions she was in danger of losing all she had won, her position in society, her place in the affections of her husband, everything.

When she married Mr. Jeffries it was with deliberate calculation. She did not love him, but, being ambitious, she did not hesitate to deceive him. He was rich, he could give her that prominent position in society for which she yearned. The fact that she was already engaged to a man for whom she did care did not deter her for a moment from her set purpose.

Our Fear of Consequences

Writer Thinks It Deters Us from the Commitment of Good as Well as Bad Acts.

Perhaps the fear of consequences keeps us from a few bad acts, but I am convinced that it also deters us from many good ones. It keeps us from being an disagreeable to people as we should sometimes like to be. But it also prevents us from being as

ruin her entire life. She must end it now—once for all. She had already given him to understand that their intimacy must cease. Now he must stop his visits to her house and desist from trapping her friends into his many schemes. She had written him that morning forbidding him to come to the house this evening. She was done with him forever.

These thoughts were responsible for the frown on the beautiful Mrs. Jeffries' jeweled brow that particular Saturday evening. Alicia gave a sigh and was drawing on her long kid gloves before the glass, when suddenly a maid entered and tendered her mistress a note. Aileen knew the handwriting only too well. She tore the letter open and read:

Dear Mrs. Jeffries, I received your letter telling me that you are present at your house. This would be disastrous to us. As you can imagine, it was a great shock. Don't you understand the harm this will do me? Everybody will notice my absence. They will jump to the conclusion that there had been some quarrel with your friends. I cannot afford to let this happen now. My affairs are in such condition that it will be fatal to me. I need your support and friendship more than ever. I have noted with some surprise that your husband has not changed.

He has been bettered some of the stories my aunts have circulated about me. For the sake of our old friendship, Aileen, don't desert me now. Remember what I once told you. Will you come to my reception to-night? There is room why I must be seen in your house.

Yours devotedly,
ROBERT UNDERWOOD.

Aileen's face flushed with anger. Turning to the maid, she said: "There's no answer."

The girl was about to close the door when her mistress suddenly recalled her.

"Wait a minute," she said; "I'll write a line."

Taking from her dainty escriptorio a sheet of perfumed note-paper, she wrote hurriedly as follows:

"You dare to come near my house to-night! I will have you put out by the servants."

Quickly folding the note, she crushed it into an envelope, sealed it, handed it to the girl, and said:

"Give that to the messenger."

The servant disappeared and Aileen resumed her work of drawing on her gloves in front of her mirror. How dare he write her such a letter? Was her house to be made the headquarters for his swindling schemes? Did he want to cheat more of her friends?

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His erect figure, admirably set off in a well-cut dress coat suggested the soldier.

"What are you doing alone here, dear?" he said. "I hear carriages outside. Our guests are arriving."

"Just thinking, that's all," she replied, evasively.

He noticed her preoccupied look and, with some concern, he demanded:

"There's nothing to worry you, is there?"

"Oh, no—nothing like that," she said, hastily.

He looked at her closely and she averted her eyes. Mr. Jeffries often wondered if he had made a mistake. He felt that this woman to whom he had given his name did not love him, but his vanity as much as his pride prevented him from acknowledging it, even to himself. After all, what did he care? She was a companion, she graced his home and looked after his creature comforts. Perhaps no reasonable man should expect anything more. Carelessly, he asked:

"Whom do you expect to-night?"

"Oh, the usual crowd," replied Aileen, languidly. "Dr. Bernstein is coming—you know he's quite the rage just now. He has to do with psychologists and all that sort of thing."

"So, he's your flop to-night, is he?" smiled the banker. Then he went on:

"By the by, I met Brewster at the club to-night. He promised to drop in."

Now it was Aileen's turn to smile. It was not everybody who could boast of having such a distinguished lawyer as Judge Brewster on their calling lists. To-night would certainly be a success—two lions instead of one. For the moment she forgot her worry.

"I am delighted that the Judge is coming," she exclaimed, her face beaming. "Every one is talking about him since his brilliant speech for the defense in that murder case."

The banker noted his wife's beautiful hair and the white transparency of her skin. His gaze lingered on the graceful lines of her neck and bosom, glittering with precious stones. An exquisite aroma exuding from her person reached where he stood. His eyes grew more ardent and, passing his arm affectionately around her slender waist, he asked:

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DANGER IN LICKING STAMPS

Practice Has Been Known to Cause Acute Inflammation of the Tongue.

Do the people who jeer at the cautious ones who refuse to lick a postage stamp as "cranks" know that there is a defined disease known as "the postage stamp tongue?"

This is an acute inflammation of the tongue, directly traced to the germs to be found on the gummed side of stamp or envelope.

Other and more serious diseases have been caused by this habit that is so universal and seems so harmless.

One throat specialist in a hospital declares that many chronic affections of the throat are found among persons who have as their livelihood the addressing and stamping of envelopes.

Bad skin diseases have been known to follow this habit, and it has even caused pulmonary troubles.

It is after all a habit, and a bad one. It takes no more time and is quite as easy to moisten the stamp with a damp sponge or rag.

Where many letters must be stamped and sealed there are good patent inventions by which the sponge is kept moist.

Hanging on the Wall.

"The way pictures are hung makes such a lot of difference in the appearance of a room," said an interior decorator a few days ago. "That fact is thrust upon me nearly every day. I go into some parlors where the pictures are hung so high that all perspective is lost, and the ceiling seems to be hopelessly high. Other folks hang theirs so low that the walls seem to strain your eyes, spoiling the beauty of the room and taking from the value of the picture."

"All pictures should not be hung on the same level, as they so often are, yet all should be as nearly on the level with the eyes as possible. If square and oblong pictures are attached irregularly with round and oval ones the best possible effect is gained."

Accounting for It.

Art Lover (standing before "The Art Lover" by Auguste Renoir)—"Did you ever see such color?"

Philistine—"No wonder. You must remember that the lady ain't through washing herself yet."—Judge.

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MODERN SCHOOL OF MARINERS.

The old saying that there is no loss without some gain is borne out by the change which has been wrought in the country's shipping. There has been much lament over the decadence of the famous Yankee seafarers, but after the passing of the clipper and whaling fleets at last has come to the high seas a new breed of Americans who are the equals if not the superiors of the old. The mechanical genius of the nation has sent many young men to the steamships of the navy and the merchant marine, says the Cleveland Leader. Ninety per cent of the sailors-mechanics of the United States navy are American born. Twenty years ago, the proportion of Americans on merchant vessels was only about 30 per cent. In 1910 the proportion was 49 per cent, the natives heavily predominating over the naturalized. The showing for this year will be even better, as the movement of Americans to the sea has been steadily increasing for several years. In many ways the mariners of the new school are better than the old shellbacks that heaved at the captain bar and lay out on the end of the yardarm. The demands of steam and electrical machinery require a different kind of skill and more intelligence. The constant advance of mechanics and electrical science makes it necessary for them to keep mentally fresh and alert. They know more and are more progressive than the old-time sailor and in their habits they are cleaner.

A strong movement is to be started in England to limit the reading of trashy novels, which are perverting the emotions and lowering the thought of the youth. Some of the most influential men in England have joined the movement. As a general thing, parents do not realize the harm the indiscriminate reading of novels is doing their children. The constant reading of novels, even of good ones, weakens the mind. It has about the same effect on the mind that lancing in a hammock or floating down stream has on the muscles. The mind, to appreciate truth, has to deal with truth, and encounter and overcome obstacles that are in its way. Lacking this exercise, it grows weak and flabby. The parent might as well, from the very start, give up his child, so far as worth and noble destiny in this world is concerned, who is a constant reader of novels.

A variation of the French Arden story comes from a New York town, where a man had deserted his wife had the uncomfortable experience of having her unexpectedly walk in on him and have him arrested. If this variation could only replace the original practice, it would be much better for the community in general and have the effect of reducing the number of these wanderers from their own firesides, who have formed a distinct class of public nuisances.

A Michigan lawyer has found a new way to break a will. One of his clients spoke his will into the trumpet of a phonograph and had the record put away. His lawyer, by dropping the record, smashed it into a thousand pieces. It seems to be impossible to make a will that some lawyer can't break, somehow.

Blind psychic impulse leads beautiful women to the selection of ugly men, according to a Canadian observer, who adds that it not infrequently leads to a fat bank account. Blind? no; psychic? relatively; impulse? hardly.

David Starr Jordan would abolish college baseball because of the "scientific muckraking" inJoshua the players. In professional baseball the muckraking is far more scientific but less classical.

The Krupps have a monopoly in pistolery which will hit a balloon. It is likely that two or three men will have a monopoly in being in the balloon.

The Wisconsin boys who save themselves labor by having a phonograph call the cows out of the pasture are perfectly willing to rely upon human lungs for the dinner announcement.

People who have nothing else of importance to do are arguing the question, "Does the robin sing or does he merely chirp?" It is almost as exciting as playing chess.

"All the epidemic and local diseases thrive upon the family cat," asserts an authority. This may explain why the animal is endowed with nine lives.

A rope manufacturer has just been made a director in a cigar company. Almost anybody could say something about the fitness of things here.

A tunnel nine miles long through the Alps has just been completed. It had to hurry up to get finished before the airship made it a back number.

Thieves in Brooklyn stole a ton of coal from a citizen's cellar, which shows that the simple life cannot be entirely extinct.

Washington has a club of girl aviators. Women refuse to stay down in these days of change and reform.

In Massachusetts cities of over 50,000 can have Sunday baseball. This will boom the cities.

The fly ought to die. But you will fail to reach him in many cases, so that screens are still useful.

Anyway, the Easter casualty list will not compare with that of July 4.

China is to have a new cabinet. Fine! A China cabinet, doubtless.

WHELAN MEASURE KILLED IN HOUSE

Bill That Might Protect the "Black Hand" Defeated.

TO DECREASE FOREST FIRES

Joint Resolution May Be Introduced in the Assembly Calling for a Legislative Investigation Into the Dietz Episode.

Madison.—The specter of the "Black Hand" society caused the lower house of the Wisconsin legislature to kill the Whelan bill, making it a criminal offense to publish the secret ritual or any of its fraternal organization.

Assemblyman Newcomb Spoor of Green Lake county, who lives near granite quarries where hundreds of citizens work, said the Whelan bill, if it passed, would practically prevent the authorities from getting any information about the operation of the "Black Hand" in Wisconsin.

A bill introduced in the senate prohibits setting any fire in the northern part of the state, except for warming persons and cooking food, between April 1 and November 1, unless permission is given in writing by the county fire warden, the fire patrol, or a justice of the peace. The bill is intended to protect that part of the state against forest fires. Another bill requires locomotives and engines of all kinds to be equipped with spark arresters, closed fireboxes and ashpans. A third bill appropriates \$250,000 annually for ten years for the purchase of additional forest reserve land.

It is recommended for passage requiring hotels, railway companies and proprietors of other public places to furnish their places with cuspidors and individual towels.

Assemblyman Thomas Mahon introduced a bill for a commission to supercede the state labor department, and all industrial agencies in the state and administer the industrial accident law recently passed. The bill permits strikers sixteen years of age and over to work in factories. The minimum age limit now is eighteen years.

The income tax bill, pending in the assembly, is to be amended so as to tax corporations at the same rate as private persons, and to allow taxes paid on personal property to be offset against an income.

There is a possibility of the introduction in the assembly at an early date of a joint resolution calling for the legislative investigation into the Dietz episode, from the time Dietz's troubles first began and including his trial and conviction on the charge of murder.

This matter has been discussed by Social Democratic members, and the representatives of that party here will soon concur on the advisability of seeking a probe.

Individually, many members of the house, particularly those in the Socialist fold, feel that Dietz's guilt was not conclusively established at the trial, and that he was virtually "indorrorated." It is also believed by some members that Dietz is mentally unbalanced and that if given an opportunity, properly qualified counsel could secure a new trial in which insanity might be pleaded.

Two years ago, a joint resolution calling upon the officials of Sawyer county to dismiss the indictments and withdraw the warrants against Dietz was introduced by Assemblyman Dub of Eau Claire, a Republican. This measure was defeated in the lower house by a close vote of 42 to 40.

Since that time much has happened in the Dietz imbroglio.

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Revise State's Plan of Keeping Books. A summary of the special report of the state tax commission on the finances of the state, compiled for the legislature, was submitted to that body. The gathering and compiling of the data was done under the direction of A. E. James, statistician of the commission.

On the average for the seven-year period (1903-1909) the revenue receipts totaled \$6,214,606.67 out of a total for all receipts of \$7,382,099.29, or 84.16 per cent. In 1909 the total revenue receipts were \$5,500,957.37 out of \$9,811,519.19, or 56.64 per cent. During the period of years covered in the investigation, receipts as a whole increased from \$6,814,792.20 in 1903 to \$9,811,519.19 in 1909. Revenue receipts increased during the same period from \$5,441,682.61 to \$8,500,957.37.

The state accounts are not kept in a single fund, says the report, but differentiation is sought in the classification of payments by subdividing the accounts into a number of funds. So far as these funds amount to the segregation of the state's obligations as trustee from its general disbursements, the practice is not only proper but is very necessary. So far as it amounts, however, to the setting up of separate appropriation accounts as funds it has the effect of splitting up the state's money and making much of it unavailable for the claims for money coming in, even though apparently there is plenty of money in the treasury.

Gideons End Convention. The tenth annual convention of the Wisconsin Gideons came to an end with the installation of officers at the Presbyterian church. The officers are as follows:

President—A. H. Van Tassel, Beloit.

Vice-President—R. E. Thomas, Madison.

Secretary and Treasurer—F. G. Hendricks, Fond du Lac.

Chaplain—A. H. Hains, Madison.

At the meeting S. E. Hill of Beloit, in response to an address of welcome by Dr. Edmund B. Patterson of the Methodist church, said:

"The Christian Commercial Travelers Association of America has been the greatest cause of giving traveling men a better standing before the world."

Doctor Patterson in his address expressed the view that ministers have as many temptations as traveling men, the ministry being the haziest profession in the world and the tendency toward taking things easy was ever to be guarded against. He added that the Gideons are a blessing wherever they go.

A. B. T. Moore, national president of the order, told of the wide extent of the convention movement among the traveling men of the United States and in Canada. During the program Mrs. Belle Porter Heath rendered two solos.

Want Postmasters as Censors.

A joint resolution, a sort of tail to the corrupt practices act which has passed the assembly, has been introduced in the lower house, calling on the Wisconsin representatives in Congress to "use their best efforts" to secure congressional legislation which will prohibit the sending of campaign literature in "unbroken packages" into the state during the heat of the campaign.

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Many Desire State Jobs.

Indications point to a record number of candidates at the state civil service examinations to be held here in June. The examinations are for positions as pen copier, general clerk and bookkeeper, cheese factory inspector, creamery inspector, deputy state fire marshal, fireman, janitor for capitol, university and normal schools, laborer for capitol, laundry man, plumber, steamfitter, teachers for state institutions, trained nurse and attendant.

Votes for Aldrich Plan.

Davenport, Ia.—At their annual meeting in this city group 8 of the Iowa bankers' association endorsed the Aldrich currency plan.

Robbed of Her Money.

Racine, Wis.—James McCarney, attorney general of Illinois and member of a committee from a Chicago district, died at a local sanitarium here after a short illness.

Ex-Attorney General Dies.

Sherman, Tex.—James McCarney, a Russian, was found bound and gagged in her home. She had been robbed of all her savings, \$120, by a man and a woman, also Russians.

ROUGH ON THE DOVE



AIRSHIP IS WRECKED

ZEPPELIN VI., LATEST MODEL OF GERMAN DIRIGIBLES, COMES TO GRIEF AT DUSSELDORF.

FIREMEN SAVE PASSENGERS

Gust of Wind Plays Havoc With Huge Gas Bag as Craft Is About to Start on Journey With Eight Voyagers.

Duesseldorf, Rhineish Prussia.—Count Zeppelin's dirigible balloon, the

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One Year..... \$1.50

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Advertising Rates. For display matter, a flat rate of \$1.00 per insertion. The economy plan rates are \$1.00 per insertion, one column advertisement cost \$2.00 for one insertion. All local notices, cards of the like nature, and other forms of advertisements where an admission fee is charged will be published at 5 cents per line.

Some Official Figures.

In the variety, quality and yield of crops the state occupies a front position. The following summary shows Wisconsin's standing among the states producing sufficient quantity of the various crops to warrant consideration. The irrigated states are not included for the reason that the cost and labor of irrigation are not clearly enough determined so that an accurate comparison can be made. The rating in corn, barley, oats, spring wheat, potatoes and flax are for the ten years 1901-1910 inclusive, while the others are from the latest tables, all being from the statistics of the United States Agricultural department: Crop Reporter and Yearbook:

Corn—Of all states producing flax during the ten year period ending 1910, Wisconsin stands first.

Barley—Among the nine states producing 1,000,000 bushels or more during the ten year period ending 1910, without irrigation, Wisconsin stands first.

Oats—Among the sixteen states growing 10,000,000 bushels or more during the ten year period ending 1910, without irrigation, Wisconsin stands first.

Spring Wheat—Among the seven states producing more than 1,000,000 bushels of spring wheat, without irrigation labor and expense, during the ten year period ending 1910, Wisconsin stands first.

Potatoes—Among the eight states producing 10,000,000 bushels or more per year during the ten year period ending 1910, Wisconsin stands second. Led only by a state using an enormous amount of commercial fertilizer.

Rye—Among the thirteen states producing 500,000 or more bushels of rye, in 1909, without irrigation, according to the latest ten year tables, Wisconsin stands fourth. The three states leading Wisconsin do so by a very slight margin.

Cotton—Among the twenty-five states producing 25,000,000 bushels or more during the ten year period ending with 1910, Wisconsin stands fifth. The leading state, Ohio, leads Wisconsin by only 2.4 bushels, Indiana by 1.5, Illinois by 1.3 and Pennsylvania by 1.1.

Hay—Of all the states not using irrigation, according to the latest tables for a ten year period, Wisconsin stands fifth.

Sugar Beets—The statistical tables indicate that Wisconsin leads all non-irrigated states and comes within a ton per acre of equalling the average of the irrigated states.

The above is taken from the second Biennial Report of the State Board of Immigration. It places Wisconsin first among all the states in the yield per acre of a tract we should be proud of our state.

LOW ROUND TRIP EXCURSION RATES.

To Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, Colo., on sale daily beginning June 1st. Favorable stop-overs. Limited return trains. For full information apply to Ticket Agents The Northern Line, 21.

Notice to Dog Owners.

State of Wisconsin.)

County of Wood, Wis.

City of Grand Rapids.)

—You will please take notice that the dog license for the year 1911 is due June 1st and payable at the office of the City Clerk in said City.

If such license is not paid on or before the fifteenth day of July, A. D. 1911, the owner of any unlicensed dog will be subject to arrest and prosecution according to the provisions of Ordinance No. 53 of said City.

Dated at the office of the City Clerk of said City this 22nd day of May, 1911. M. G. Gordon, City Clerk.

CITY CLERK.

PORT EDWARDS

A May festival was held in this village on Saturday last which was a most successful event in the history of our school. It was given by the primary grade and kindergarten class under the direction of Misses Francois Reuter and Elizabeth Bradford. There were folk dances, nature songs and games, making a most pleasant afternoon. During the intermission refreshments were served by the eighth grade pupils to 150 guests.

Raely Items.

\$300 to loan on good security at 6 per cent after June 15. Also have \$200 and \$300 to loan at once.

May 40 partly improved for sale cheap or will consider city property.

Blacksmith shop, consisting of lot, building, complete set of tools and air supply of stock, in small village for only \$800. This is a good opening.

Drug store in Illinois to trade for area of about 80 acres.

Six room house and two lots for sale at \$800. Building on stone foundation with good porch and 7 ears old.

5 room house and 2 lots on Elm St. for only \$1050 if sold this month.

One acre, house, barn, woodshed, etc. on Grand Ave. for \$775.

The above are only a few of the bargains I have to offer. Call or come if you want to buy or sell.

H. LINDERMAYER, Phone 111

REMINGTON

(Too Late for Last Week.)

Mrs. Medskie, formerly of this place but now a resident of Milwaukee, visited at the Kudlak home several days last week.

Mrs. Fred Rutz returned home from Milwaukee, where she had been the guest of her daughter for several weeks.

C. S. Lowe made a business trip to Kellner home last week.

Gus Sanger and family and Adolf Sanger of Nekoosa visited at the parental home last Sunday.

Mr. Eddie and wife of Nekoosa were visitors at the Hause home last Sunday.

Herbert Beck of Oshkosh was the guest of Chas. and Adolf Sanger Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Gunter of Illinois is back here improving his marsh farm.

Joe Karbowski and family are now located in their new home near the Yellow River wagon bridge a short distance from Babcock.

The Godfrey Bros. have established a cream station at Babcock which makes it very convenient for the farmers.

The farmers are busily engaged in plowing, sowing and planting. The work is in fine condition.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Stiles are now looking for the Warner Drege Co.

The dredge is doing some excellent work along the marshes. L. Overhimer of Babcock is overseer. It is predicted by several that the marsh land will be the most productive land in the future.

Wm. Kuter has lost several acres of hay and oats by cut worms, but those rains I think will destroy them.

Mike Herol, who lives on E. Phillips farm, has to plow up most all of the meadow as the cut worms have eaten it all up. They don't seem to bother in the low land.

Jacob Kuter and son Elmer and Ed. Johnson are digging a ditch on the Kuter farm in South Rudolph.

Wm. Kuter sheared Mr. Blair's sheep last Thursday. One of his sheep sheared over fifteen pounds of No. 1 wool. I think that is a good growth of wool.

Ed. Provost is plowing up his madow as there is nothing left, the cut worms having eaten up everything.

Oliver Dudley is having a ditch dug along the line fence this week.

Mrs. Honry Hamm is seriously ill at her home.

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FOURTEEN MILE CREEK.

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Walter Jero is working for John Gaynor at Grand Rapids.

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BIRON

John Possley was taken to the Riverview hospital last week where he will receive treatment for inflammatory rheumatism. He has been suffering a great deal lately.

Miss Bertha Akey attended the Akey-DeByle wedding at Rudolph Wednesday.

Dolores DeMars, Anna Klappa, Ellen DeMars, and Angelina Shuroff and Jeffrey Akey, John Bengor and Ruoben Grotton were among those who received their First Holy Communion last Sunday.

Will Hamm was shot in the head Saturday night. The circumstances of the case are not truthfully known as yet, but nevertheless the shock was very great to us all. This is the second narrow escape Mr. Hamm has had, being the party that broke through the ice some time ago and was very nearly drowned.

Miss Lucy Klapp of Sigel is the guest of her brother, James, and family at this writing.

NOBODY SPARED.

Kidney Troubles Attack Grand Rapids Men and Women, Old and Young.

Kidney fits seize young and old.

Come quickly with little warning.

Children suffer in their early years.

Can't control the kidney secretions.

Girls are languid, nervous, suffer pain.

Women worry, can't do daily work.

Men have lame and aching backs.

The cure for man, woman or child is to cure the cause—the kidneys.

Don't let kidney pills rectify the cause.

Cure all forms of kidney suffering.

Grand Rapids' testimony proves.

Mrs. Anna Keyes, 51, of Elmer St., Grand Rapids, Wis., says: "I am pleased to publicly endorse Doan's Kidney Pills, for they live up to all the claims made for them. My back ached intensely and I often had pains around my loins. I was subject to dizzy and nervous spells and it was plain to see that my kidneys were at fault. When I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills, I gave them a trial and they soon brought relief. I also gave this record to my children who were annoyed by a kidney weakness and either were rectified. Doan's Kidney Pills are recommended to bring prompt and lasting benefit."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Weary Willie Walker.

Glenwood (Iowa) Times: Wio. Cruse and an all star cast appeared at the opera house last night, playing to a large and appreciative audience, although the night was a bad one.

This production is what the theatre going public enjoy; a good live comedy interspersed with music, dancing, clever jokes.

It was alive from start to finish and every member of company there with the goods.

We can not go into detail in regard to this show, but will say it is the best we have ever seen in the town, during our residence here, and we think those who missed it missed a treat.

We will always have open dates and fall houses for Wio. Cruse and his company of artists. Coming to Daly's Theatre Sunday, May 28. Popular prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

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ALTDORF

F. Wiersol went to Watertown Monday to attend the Holstein Festival sale which was held there Tuesday and Wednesday.

Present indications point to a rather poor crop year this year. Too much rain and then the out worms are thicker than ever—in some places even taking whole fields of oats and many old meadows. The older the meadows the more they work, so it means shorter rotations must be practiced to reduce their work to the minimum. And as short rotations produce better crops it again looks as though even the out worms is a blessing. Small grain looks good where it isn't too low. Fruit is in fine condition.

DR. E. L. GRAVES

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Miss Grace Goggin visited with friends in Wausau on Saturday. —A fine line of Body Brussels Rugs at right prices at Natwick's. John Langer of the town of Carson transacted business in the city on Saturday. Mrs. E. M. Hayes and daughter Ethel visited with friends in Junction City on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kurnitz of Almond visited with relatives in the city over Sunday. Miss Texan Yester returned on Saturday from a weeks visit with her parents at Grandon.

Fred Mosher last week purchased the five passenger Cadillac touring car owned by F. J. Wood.

B. T. Worthington of Beloit arrived in the city on Saturday to spend a week or two visiting with his friends about town.

Anthony Looze, a student at Marquette College, has been home for several days past visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Looze.

O. G. Lindeman of Chicago was in the city on Monday on business. While here he favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call.

Kenneth Smith of Beloit arrived in the city last week to spend his vacation visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Dennis.

Mrs. George Grignon and children of Virginia, Minn., arrived in the city on Thursday for an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. N. Lorancie.

Plainfield Sun.—R. A. Weeks of Plainfield was here Wednesday and Thursday looking after business interests and doing some work in the community.

George Berkley received his new Oakland rumble last week and has since been riding in style. The car is one of the handsomest little runabouts in town.

Fred Piltz, one of the hustling young business men of Rudolph, was a business visitor in the city on Thursday. This office acknowledges a very pleasant call.

F. J. Wood and Judge Chas. M. Webb returned on Monday from West Bacon, where they had been taking treatment. They both feel much improved by the rest and change.

J. P. Temby, formerly agent for the Soo Line at Abbotsford, has been transferred to this city to take charge of the business of the company here, and he assumed the position of agent last week.

We are now ready to do dress-making at 316 Third Ave. South.

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Elsie Swannell

Dr. J. J. Looze received his new Hupmobile touring car last week, which is a four passenger machine and a very nice looking car. Nic Thomas also received his new Hupmobile last week.

The first open air band concert of the season was given last Wednesday evening under the leadership of Prof. Merrill. The general variety of the public is that the band is improving right along under the new leadership.

The Grand Rapids band is wanted at Neenah for the Fourth of July, as it seems they are going to celebrate the nations holiday down there in proper style. As there is nothing on the taps here it is possible that the boys may accept.

H. H. Miller, one of the enterprising farmers of the town of Grand Rapids, was a pleasant caller at this office on Wednesday and before departing ordered the Grand Rapids Tribune sent out to his home for the ensuing year.

The band will give the usual weekly concert at the east side band stand this evening provided the weather permits. If the weather is unfavorable an effort will be made to hold it some other night during the week.

Hugo Lind was called to Wales on Saturday by the illness of his brother Oscar, who has been an inmate of the sanitarium the past year for tuberculosis. Mr. Lind reports that his brother's condition is not very good at present.

Louis Goodness was called to Allegan, Oswego county, New York, on Monday to attend the funeral of his mother, who died on Sunday at the age of 63 years. It was only last November that Mr. Goodness was called back east to attend the funeral of his father.

George Rivers of Rudolph was among the callers at the Tribune office on Saturday while in the city on business. Mr. Rivers reports that the cut worms are doing a great deal of damage up in his neighborhood and many of the early plantings have been almost totally destroyed.

Mr. Homans, who owns one of the fine farms in the vicinity of Mechanic, was a business visitor in the city on Monday. Mr. Homans has lived in Stevens Point the past two years having rented his farm during that time, but this spring decided that farming was better than city life and has again taken possession of the old home.

T. P. Peerenboom and Geo. N. Wood returned on Saturday from Milwaukee where they had gone to bring up Mr. Peerenboom's new Maxwell rumble. They found the roads rather muddy on account of the recent rains, but had no difficulty in getting thru all right. They took two days in the trip, stopping Friday night at Waupaca.

The following notice was found posted on the wall of a deserted shanty on a homestead in the wild region of Canada: "Four miles from a neighbor, sixteen miles from a post office, twenty miles from a railroad, fourteen miles from a church, hundred and eighty miles from timber, two hundred miles from a Republican half a mile from hell, and the same distance from a Democrat. Come to Wisconsin, which is God's country, to get a fresh start."

Call at J. W. Natwick's and look over his line of rugs, whether you want to buy or not."

D. Woodruff of Vesper was a business visitor in the city on Monday.

—Tapestry Brussels rugs, 9x12 size, only \$11.50 at Natwick's furniture store.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Blaisdell of Wausau are visiting at the Louis Laramie home this week.

Miss Helen Taylor spent Saturday and Sunday at Wausau the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Jones.

H. O. Timm expects to leave the fore part of next week for Missoula, Montana, where he will spend the summer.

Mrs. Ben Wheeler of New Rome was in the city shopping on Monday. This office acknowledges a pleasant message delivered on Tuesday.

Mr. G. W. Merrill expects to leave on Thursday for Sparta where she will visit her people for a week or more.

Miss Rose Sedall of Chicago arrived in the city on Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sedall in the town of Sigel.

A. C. Larsen of Madison, state manager for the Central Life Insurance Company, is spending a few days in the city looking after the company's interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Youngchild returned on Saturday evening from their wedding tour in the eastern part of the state and will make their home in Neekoosa.

Bob Nash has been confined to his home the past week with diphtheria. The attack is a light one and it is expected that he will be all right within a few days.

Alfred Bring of New Rome was a pleasant caller at this office on Thursday. Mr. Bring recently located at New Rome, having purchased the S. E. Worthing homestead.

Norwington Bros. lost a horse last week, the animal slipping on the pavement and breaking its leg. As it was impossible to do anything for it, the horse had to be shot.

Mrs. Jos. Simlar and Miss Jessie Arnulf of Neekoosa were operated upon for appendicitis at the River-view hospital the past week. Both patients are getting along nicely.

I. E. Wilcox and Ray Johnson returned from Alum Center on Sunday where they conducted a very successful coat and spit sale on Friday and Saturday for the Johnson & Hill Co.

Tomahawk is to have a Chautauqua from the 2d to 9th of July, 1911. Several prominent men have been engaged to speak at the meetings, among whom is Richard P. Hobson, of Merrimac fame.

Rev. H. Maack, who had spent the past couple of weeks in St. Louis, returned home on Monday evening. Mr. Maack had been attending the Lutheran conference and visiting with friends.

Frank Sedall, one of the solid farmers of the town of Sigel, favored this office with a pleasant call on Monday. Mr. Sedall reports that the cut worms are very bad but out his way and that he will have to plow up all his old meadow.

Prof. Charles C. Parlin, who has been at the head of the Wausau high school for the past fifteen years, has tendered his resignation. Mr. Parlin will go to Boston to take charge of an industrial research bureau for a large eastern corporation.

Up at Merrill recently a man was fined five dollars for spanking his wife, and he said he didn't spank her very hard, either. It is curious to a pretty pass when a man cannot spank his wife without the officers of the law stepping in and taking a hand.

The Balzer & Cheney circus showed here last Friday and gave a very good little show. The evening's entertainment was somewhat marred by a steady downpour of rain, that made it impossible to put up as good a show as they would otherwise have done.

Wm. Ford of the town of Saratoga was arrested on a charge of rape on Thursday, his victim being an eleven year old girl from the same town. Upon being taken before Justice Brown he waived examination and was bound over to await trial at the circuit court.

Marsfield Herald—Rob Nash of Grand Rapids came up Tuesday on matters pertaining to the new county asylum. His father owns a small park in which two tame deer are kept. Sunday morning Rob says the mother gave birth to a little fawn which is as pretty as a polka dot shirt waist.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sedall of the town of Sigel announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Rose Sedall to Mr. Richard Pavloski, of Chicago. The wedding will take place on Monday morning, May 29th, at nine o'clock at the Polish Catholic church in Sigel. Rev. Wojak of this city officiates. They expect to make their home in Chicago.

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of the world's business is done on paper—mostly bank checks.

If you haven't a bank account stop and think how you are working under a disadvantage trying to do everything with actual money when other people need so little.

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Be THIRD DEGREE

BY CHARLES KLEIN
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SYNOPSIS.

Howard Jeffries, banker's son, under the evil influence of Gold Underwood, a fellow-student at Yale, leads a life of dissipation, marries the daughter of a mother who died in prison, and is owned by his father. He tries to get work and fails. A former college chum, Robert Underwood, comes to Howard with various legal chaff, and Howard is broke. Robert Underwood, who had been repudiated by Howard's wife, has had a hard time, and has been engaged to Alicia, Howard's stepmother, who has apartments at the Astoria and is apparently in prosperous circumstances. Howard receives a \$200 loan from his father, and decides to ask him for the \$2,000 he needs.

CHAPTER III.

The handsome townhouse of Howard Jeffries, the well-known banker, on Riverside Drive, was one of the most striking among the many imposing millionaire homes that line the city's splendid water front. Houses there were in the immediate proximity which were more showy and had cost more money, but none as completely satisfying from the art lover's standpoint. It was the home of a man who studied and loved the beautiful for its own sake and not because he wanted to astonish people with what attracts his money could work. Occupying a large plot on slightly elevated ground, the house commanded a fine view of the broad Hudson. Directly opposite, across the river, busy with steam and sailing craft, snuffed the green slopes of New Jersey; in the purplish north frowned the jagged cliffs of the precipitous Palisades.

The elder Jeffries, aristocratic descendant of an old Knickerbocker family, was proud of his home and had spent large sums of money in beautifying it. Built in colonial style of pure white marble with long French windows and lofty columns supporting a flat, rounded roof, surrounded by broad lawns, wide-spreading shade trees and splashing fountains, it was a conspicuous landmark for miles. The interior was full of architectural beauty. The stately entrance hall, hung with ancestral portraits, was of noble proportions, and a superb staircase, decorated with statuary, led off to tastefully decorated reception rooms above. To-night the house was brilliantly illuminated and there was considerable activity at the front entrance, where footmen in smart livery stood opening the doors of the carriages as they drove up in quick succession.

Mrs. Jeffries' musicals were always largely attended because she knew the secret of making them interesting. Her husband's wealth and her fine house enabled her to entertain on a liberal scale, and she was a tactful and diplomatic hostess as well. She not only cultivated the right kind of people who were congenial to each other, but she always managed to have some guest of special distinction whom every one was eager to meet. Her own wide acquaintances among the prominent operatic artists and her husband's influential position in the world of finance made this policy an easy way of furthering her social ambitions. She would always invite some one whom she could present as the lion of the evening. One week it would be a tenor from the opera house, another time a famous violinist. In this way she managed to create a little artistic salon on the lines of the famous political salons in which the brilliant women of the eighteenth century molded public opinion in France.

Alicia knew she was clever and as she stood admiring herself in front of a full length mirror while awaiting the arrival of her guests she congratulated herself that she had made a success of her life. She had won those things which most women hold dear—wealth and social position. She had married a man she did not love. It was true, but other women had done that before her. If she had not brought her husband love she at least was not a wife he need be ashamed of. In her Paquin gown of gold cloth, with sweeping train and a jeweled tiara in her hair, she considered herself handsome enough to grace any man's home. It was indeed a beauty which she saw in the mirror—the face of a woman not yet 30, with the features regular and refined. The eyes were large and dark and the mouth and nose delicately modeled. The face seemed academically perfect, all but the expression. She had a cold, calculating look, and a smile might have charged her with being heartless, of stopping at nothing to gain her own ends.

To-night Alicia had every reason to feel jubilant. She had secured a social lion that all New York would talk about—no less a person than Dr. Bernstein, the celebrated psychologist, the originator of the theory of scientific psychology. Everything seemed to go the way she wished; her musicals were the talk of the town; her husband had just presented her with the jeweled tiara which now graced her head; there seemed to be nothing in the world that she could



She at Least Was Not a Wife He Need Be Ashamed Of.

in the face reflected before her. In the glass she wondered if the world guessed how unhappy she was. She knew that by her own indiscretion she was in danger of losing all she had won, her position in society, her place in the affections of her husband, everything.

When she married Mr. Jeffries it was with deliberate calculation. She did not love him, but being ambitious, she did not hesitate to deceive him. He was rich, he could give her the prominent position in society for which she yearned. The fact that she was already engaged to a man for whom she did care did not deter her, for a moment from her set purpose.

Our Fear of Consequences

Writer Thinks It Deters Us from the Commitment of Good as Well as Bad Acts.

Perhaps the fear of consequences keeps us from a few bad acts, but I am convinced that it also deters us from many good ones. It keeps us from being disagreeable to people we should sometimes like to be, as I am the better for the greeting, and hope he is. Once I stood on a bridge

ruining her entire life. She must end it now—once for all. She had already given him to understand that their intimacy must cease. Now she must stop his visits to her house and desist from trapping his friends into his many schemes. She had written him that morning forbidding him to come to the house this evening. She was done with him forever.

These thoughts were responsible for the frown on the beautiful Mrs. Jeffries' bewigged brow on a particular Saturday evening. Alicia gave a sigh and was drawing on her long kid-gloves before the glass, when suddenly a maid entered and tendered her mistress a note. Alicia knew the handwriting only too well. She tore the letter open and read:

"Dear Mrs. Jeffries—I received your letter telling me that my presence at your house to-night would be disadvantageous. As you can imagine, it was a great shock. Don't you understand that this will be a social calamity? You will notice my name. They will jump to the conclusion that there has been a rupture, and my credit will suffer immensely. My affairs are in such condition that it will be fatal to me. I have had to sacrifice much time, and your husband has changed. You have believed some of the stories my enemies have circulated about me. For the sake of our old friend, Alicia, don't write again. I will remember what you wrote, and you let me come to your reception to-night. There's a reason why I must be seen in your house."

ROBERT UNDERWOOD.—
Alicia's face flushed with anger. Turning to the maid, she said: "There's no answer."

The girl was about to close the door when her mistress suddenly re-called her:

"Wait a minute," she said; "I'll write a line."

Taking from her dainty escritorio a sheet of perfumed paper, she wrote hurriedly as follows:

"I am delighted that the judge is coming," she exclaimed, her face beaming. "Every one is talking about him since his brilliant speech for the defense in that murder case."

The banker noted his wife's beautyful hair and the white transparency of her skin. His gaze lingered on the graceful lines of her neck and bosom, glittering with precious stones. An exquisite aroma exuding from her person reached where he stood. His eyes grew more ardent and, passing his arm affectionately around her slender waist, he asked:

"How does my little girl like her taffeta?"

"It's very nice. Don't you see I'm wearing it to-night?" she replied almost impatiently and drawing herself away.

Before Mr. Jeffries had time to reply there was a commotion at the other end of the reception room, where rich tapestries screened off the main entrance hall. The butler drew the curtains aside.

"Mr. and Mrs. Cortwright," he announced loudly.

Alicia went forward, followed by her husband, to greet her guests.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

DANGER IN LICKING STAMPS

Practice Has Been Known to Cause Acute Inflammation of the Tongue.

Do the people who eat at the cautious ones who refuse to lick a postage stamp as "cranks" know that there is a defined disease known as "the postage stamp tongue"?

This is an acute inflammation of the tongue directly traced to the germs to be found on the gummed side of stamp or envelope.

Other and more serious diseases have been caused by this habit that is so universal and seems so harmless.

One throat specialist in a hospital declares that many chronic afflictions of the throat are found among persons who have as their livelihood the addressing and stamping of envelopes.

Bad skin diseases have been known to follow this habit, and it has even caused pulmonary troubles.

It is after all but a habit, and a bad one. It takes no more time and is quite as easy to moisten the stamp with a damp sponge or rag.

Where many letters must be stamped and sealed there are good patent inventions by which the sponge is kept moist.

Hanging on the Wall.

"The wall pictures are hung makes such a lot of difference in the appearance of a room," said an interior decorator a few days ago. "That fact is often upon me nearly every day. I go into some parlors where the pictures are hung so high that all perspective is lost, and the ceiling seems to be hopelessly high. Other folks hang them so low that it hurts your spine to look at them, in addition to straining your eyes, spoiling the beauty of the room and taking from the value of the picture."

"All pictures should not be hung on the same level, as they so often are, yet all should be as nearly on the level with the eyes as possible. It square and oblong pictures are altered irregularly with round and oval ones the best possible effect is gained."

Accounting for It.

Art Lover (standing before "The Bath")—"Did you ever see such a Philistine?"

Philistine—"No wonder. You must remember that the lady ain't through washing herself yet."—Judge Reid.

Judge Reid called upon Dietz to rise and said:

"It is the judgment of the court

World's Supply of Ivory

Ten Thousand Elephants Slaughtered Yearly to Meet the Demand for the Product.

In spite of the great demands of the arts and trades for ivory, the quantity imported at Antwerp, London and Liverpool, the principal markets of the world, remains almost constant. The total was 484 French tons in 1883 and 469 tons in 1908. In the years between it has been as high as 658 tons, in 1900.

Antwerp was unknown as an ivory market 20 years ago, but now surpasses London in the size of its trade, owing to the opening of the Congo region.

Occasionally tusks are found weighing 150 pounds, but one of 50 pounds is considered a fine specimen. The law

and watched a slow freight creep along under me. The train men stood or lay on the tops of the cars and as they passed they tossed salutations up to me. I caught them all. It was great fun. But afterwards I reflected, what would have happened if that freight had suddenly stopped under the bridge, as freights sometimes do? I waved to him, he waved back, we smile in most friendly fashion and the train flashes by.

Grand Rapids.—During a heavy snow storm Miss Ida Thun had a narrow escape from death. She arose from her bed to close a window when a bolt of lightning struck the house, splintering her bed posts and setting fire to the bedding.

Racine.—State Fire Marshal Wm. End is investigating two attempts to burn the new two-story frame home of Mrs. Bertha Smith. The first fire destroyed itself out without being discovered. In the second attempt the plaster had been knocked off and kerosene soaked rags started in between the partitions.

American Wins British Scholarship.

London.—At the meeting of the British Iron and Steel Institute, the Carnegie research scholarship of \$500 was awarded to R. M. Keeney of Colorado.

Save Burning Building With Beer.

Bolton, Conn.—Forest fires again raged in this section, 100 acres of land having been burned over. A Bolton Notch the New England hotel was saved by pouring barrels of beer on the flames.



MR. AND MRS. JOHN F. DIETZ

WILL OBEY THE LAW

STANDARD OIL ATTORNEY SAYS COMPANIES AFFECTED BY DECISION WILL SEPARATE.

NO PLAN YET DECIDED UPON

Tobacco Case Ruling Will Determine Taft Policy—President Satisfied With Decision of Supreme Court, Despite His Former Views.

New York.—At 26 Broadway, Standard Oil headquarters, the morale of the company seemed to be in anything but a gloomy mood over the Supreme court decision. Their attitude showed clearly that they had expected such an opinion for some time and were ready for it.

Two points are clear. First, that there will be no continuity by the company—it proposes to obey the decree; and second, that it will be some time before any plan of reorganization are given out.

The company has insisted throughout that no plan had been formulated in advance of the decree, and the statement made by Mortimer F. Elton, general solicitor for the company, takes the same attitude. He said:

"Having only before us the press reports of Chief Justice White's oral opinion and the remarks of Justice Harlan, and not having seen the opinion of the court in full, it is impossible to make any lengthy statement. The full opinion must be read and studied by my associates and myself before it can be intelligently dealt with.

"It may, however, be said that the Standard Oil company will obey the decree of the court and that all the companies embraced in the court's decree will carry on their business as usual under the direction of their own officers and through their own corporate organizations."

Washington.—Until the Supreme court has rendered its decision in the pending case of the tobacco trust the administration will formulate no policy based on Monday's far-reaching decision. The manner in which the court will now apply the rule laid down in the Standard Oil case to the facts presented in the suit against the tobacco trust become the paramount issue with regard to the new dispensation.

Broadly speaking, Attorney General Wickersham regards Monday's decision the most important declaration ever made by a court of justice. But because of the fact that a new rule is likely to become essential to enforce the rule when it will enforce the rule before any of the proceedings are begun under the new dispensation.

If it regarded me particularly fortunate that there is to be no soon as the Standard Oil decision an opinion from the court that will serve as a guide in future litigation.

So far as the effect of the decision is concerned, both the president and Attorney-General Wickersham declared that they were perfectly satisfied; and neither would permit himself to be drawn into any expression of opinion with regard to the point made by Associate Justice Harlan in his dramatic dissent. Not even the quotations from President Taft's previous utterances, which seem to put him at variance with the majority view of the court served to bring forth any explanation from Mr. Taft.

In conversation with callers on this point, he merely referred to the fact that every man was entitled to a view on the circumstances before the Supreme court had passed on a case; but once the court had decided, it is the president's opinion that patriotic duty and a regard for American institutions require that every citizen loyally accept the view of the Supreme court as his own.

The president does not believe that the Sherman anti-trust law requires any amending by reason of the decision of the Supreme court and accordingly will make no recommendations to congress to that end, while the attorney general does not altogether share the view that additional legislation is not desirable, he does not believe that legislation at this time would improve the situation.

Both the president and the attorney general are as one in the belief that modern business demands some latitude for operation under the changed economic conditions, and in private discussion they point to the methods that have been adopted in both Germany and Great Britain where trade combinations have been recognized and legalized and brought under proper and necessary regulation by the state.

It was the intention that Mrs. Taft should accompany the president to Harrisburg. When she was taken ill it was feared that he would be obliged to cancel the engagement, but later Mrs. Taft's condition was such that he was able to make the trip.

Mrs. Taft is now at the home of Mr. Taft's brother, Henry W. Taft, who is suffering from a mild recurrence of a nervous malady that appeared in a more serious form two years ago.

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At Harrisburg the president spoke on the right of government employees to organize labor unions and to affiliate with the American Federation of

GOMPERS GOES FREE

SUPREME COURT HOLDS LABOR CHIEF NOT IN CONTEMPT.

Highest Tribunal Holds Jail Sentence In Bucks Company's Boycott Suit as Invalid.

Washington.—Settling aside the sentence of imprisonment imposed by the supreme court of the district of Columbia for alleged obstruction to a boycott injunction, the Supreme court held that Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, president, vice-president and secretary, respectively, of the American Federation of Labor, had been erroneously sentenced to jail on a charge of contempt of a local court.

The judges unanimously held that fines were the only sentence that could be imposed on the labor leaders.

In so holding, the Supreme court of the United States found that the court of appeals of the District of Columbia and the supreme court of the district erred in treating the contempt proceeding as a criminal case and not a civil one. The effect of holding the proceedings as civil was to make the jail sentence impossible. Hence the jail sentence had to be set aside.

The charges of contempt against Morrisons, Omours, Gompers, John Mitchell and Morrison arose out of a bitter labor war between organized labor and the Bucks Stove & Range company of St. Louis.

The concern had come into the supreme court of the district of Columbia to prevent, by injunction, the American Federation of Labor and its officials from boycotting its own products or the business of those who dealt with it.

The company claimed that the federation was trying to unionize the company's shops. The labor leaders urged that the company was "unfair" to labor. The head of the company was J. W. Van Cleave, president of National Manufacturers' association, which had often come into conflict with the federation. He was charged with having been opposed to organized labor.

Justice Wright found the union emer- gency guilty and sentenced President Gompers to one year in jail; Vice-President Mitchell to nine months; and Secretary Morrison to six months.

START OF CORONATION FETES

King George Dedicates Victoria Memorial, Emperor and Empress of Germany Being His Guests.

London.—The presence of the German emperor and empress and their daughter, Victoria Louise, who, rumor says, is to be given in marriage to the prince of Wales, at King George's dedication of the great Victoria memorial, and the opening of the Festival of Empire marked the beginning of the three month's reign of merrymaking with which the British empire will celebrate the coronation of the king and queen in June—incidentally putting millions of dollars into the pockets of British tradesmen.

The dedication ceremony took place near Buckingham palace, where the great monument to the late queen overlooks the Mall and rears its stately proportions high in the air, crowned by a gigantic bronze statue of Peace.

After the ceremonies were over the royal family, together with their German guests of honor, repaired to the Queen's residence for dinner. This will be followed by a royal entertainment in the evening, which will include among the guests the many prominent Germans who make their home in London.

WIFE OF PRESIDENT IS ILL

"SHE WHO HESITATES IS LOST."



The Centenary of the War of 1812

The true story of
the opening battle
told for the first time
By Prof. B.J.Cigrand.

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Mirtillo—He proposed, but I didn't say yes. I want to keep him on the rack for awhile.

Miranda—Be careful, or you may find yourself on the shelf.

If you want a thing well done, do it yourself.—Wallington.

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one size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Knee.
The shoes are made of leather, and the
shoe is made tight so the shoe does not fall out.
Return subscriber. For free trial package, ad-
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Many a girl would promise to marry a man if she thought he wouldn't be so silly as to expect her to live up to her promise.

For over fifty years, Quackum and Neuritis sufferers have found great relief in Hamline Wizard Oil. Don't wait for inflammation to set in. Get a bottle today.

Strictly Business.
Mrs. Knicker—Did you hold a short session with your husband?

Mrs. Becker—Yes, I merely had him pass an appropriation bill.

Wool fabrics only are employed in the making of "SINCERITY CLOTHES," produced by Kuh, Nathan & Fischer Company, Chicago. Write for Style Book No. 7.

Consistent.
Doctor—You are considerably under weight, sir. What have you been doing?

Patient—Nothing. But I'm a retired grocer, doc.—Puck.

Well Mated.
Thus the inquisitive boarder:

"What has become of the old-fashioned woman who used to call a widow's reception an Infarct?"

Response by the white-haired boarder:

"I think she married the old-fashioned man who used to crack his knuckles regularly twice a day."

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Grand Rapids Tribune

BY DRUMM & SUCOR

Grand Rapids, Wis., May 24, 1911

Entered at the Post Office at Grand Rapids, Wis., as second-class mail matter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:
One Year \$1.00
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For display, letters, notices, etc., \$1.00 per column inch per week.
For classified advertisements, \$1.00 per column inch per week.
For general advertising, \$1.00 per column inch per week.

Some Official Figures.

In the twelve, quality and yield of crops the state occupies a front position. The following summary shows Wisconsin standing among the states producing a fair amount of the various crops to warrant consideration. The general states are not included on the reason that the cost and labor of cultivation are not clearly enough determined so that an accurate comparison can be made. The ranking of corn, barley, oats, spring wheat, potatoes and hay are for the ten years 1901-1910 inclusive, while the others are from the latest tables, all drawn from the statistics of the United States Agricultural department. Crop Report and Yearbook.

Plots of all states producing hay during the ten year period ending 1910. Wisconsin stands first.

Corn—Among the nine states producing 1,100,000 bushels or more during the ten year period ending 1910, without irrigation, Wisconsin stands first.

Oats—Among the sixteen states growing 10,000,000 bushels or more during the ten year period ending 1910, without irrigation, Wisconsin stands first.

Spring Wheat—Among the seven states producing more than 1,000,000 bushels of spring wheat, without irrigation, labor and expense, during the ten year period ending 1910, Wisconsin stands first.

Potatoes—Among the eight states producing 10,000,000 bushels or more per year during the ten year period ending 1910, Wisconsin stands second, led only by a state using an enormous amount of commercial fertilizer.

Rye—Among the thirteen states producing 500,000 or more bushels of rye, in 1909, without irrigation, according to the latest ten year tables, Wisconsin stands fourth. The three states leading Wisconsin do so by a very slight margin.

Cotton—Among the twenty-five states producing 3,200,000 bushels or more during the ten year period ending with 1909, Wisconsin stands fifth. The leading state, Ohio, leads Wisconsin by only 1/2 bushels, Indiana by 1/2, Illinois by 1/3 and Pennsylvania by 1/4.

Hay—Of all the states not using irrigation, according to the latest table for a ten year period, Wisconsin stands fifth.

Sugar Beets—The statistical tables indicate that Wisconsin leads all non-irrigated states, and comes within a ton per acre of equaling the average of the irrigated states.

The note is taken from the second annual report of the State Board of Immigration. It places Wisconsin first among all the states in the yield per acre, of a truth we should be proud of our state.

LOW ROUND TRIP EXCURSION RATES.

To Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, Colo., including beginning June 1st. Favorable steamer, liberal return terms. For full information apply to Ticket Agents The North Western Line, St. Louis.

Notice to Dog Owners.

State of Wisconsin.)

County of Wood, D.S.S.

City of Grand Rapids.)

—You will please take notice that the dog license for the year 1911 is due June 1st and payable at the office of the City Clerk in said city.

If such license is not paid on or before the fifteenth day of July, A. D., 1911, the owner of any unlicensed dog will be subject to arrest and prosecution according to the provisions of Ordinance No. 53 of said city.

Dated at the office of the City Clerk of said City this 22nd day of May, 1911.

M. G. Gordon,

City Clerk.

PORT EDWARDS

A May festival was held in this village on Saturday but which was a most successful event in the history of our school. It was given by the primary grade and kindergarten class under the direction of Misses Frances Reeter and Elizabeth Bradford. There were folk dances, nature songs and games making a most pleasant afternoon. During the intermission refreshments were served by the eighth grade pupils to 150 guests.

Raelty Items.

\$200 to loan on good security at 6 per cent after June 1st. Also have \$200 and \$300 to loan at once.

Weary Willie Walker.

Glenwood (Iowa) Times: Vic Crane and an all star cast appeared at the opera house last night, playing to a large and appreciative audience, although the night was a bad one. This production is what the theatre going public enjoy: a good live comedy interspersed with music, dancing, clever jokes. It was all from start to finish and every member of company there with the goods. We can go into detail in regard to this show, but will say it is the best we have ever seen in the town, during our residence here, and we think those who missed it missed a treat. We will always have open dates and full houses for Vic Crane and his company of artists. Coming to Day's Theatre Sunday, May 28. Popular prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

The above are only a few of the bargains I have to offer. Call or come if you want to buy or sell.

J. A. GAYNOR

ATTORNEY AT LAW

Office over the Postoffice on the East side. Will practice in all courts Tel. 142

REMINGTON

Takes in last week.

Mrs. Medek, formerly of this place but now a resident of Milwaukee, visited at the Kodak home several days last week.

Mrs. Fred Rutz returned home from Milwaukee, where she had been visiting her daughter for several weeks.

Mr. Eddie and sons of Neosho were visitors to the home last Sunday.

Henry and Hazel of Oconomowoc paid a visit to the home last Saturday and Sunday.

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LOST FAITH IN WHITE MAN

Eskimo Tested Efficacy of Telephone Scheme, and Realized He Had Been Deceived.

An interesting story is told regarding the efforts of an Eskimo to construct a telephone line. The Eskimo went into possession of a piece of wire of considerable length and never having seen wire before he asked Professor McMillan of the Peary north pole expedition what it was and what it was for. He was told that the white man strung it on poles stuck in the ground and a voice talking to an instrument at one end could be heard at the other end. After some search the next morning the Eskimo was found to be engaged in telephone construction work of his own. He stuck some sticks in the ground and hung the wire on them. He held one end of the wire to his mouth and talked to it at the top of his voice. Then he ran as fast as he could to the other end and held the wire to his ear with the expectation of hearing his own words repeated.

When he failed to hear any sounds the expression on his face revealed his opinion of his white friend.

T'WAS VERY GOOD.



She raised her trembling hand and gazed With startled eyes, but did not blush.

I looked at it dismayed, amazed,

For lo, it was a royal flush.

A Strange Situation.

"Humor is a funny thing," said Blanks.

"It ought to be," said the Philosopher.

"Oh, I don't mean that way," said Blanks. "I mean that it is a strange thing. Now, I can't speak French, but I can always understand a French joke, and I can speak English, but I'm afraid if I can see an English joke."

"Most people are," said the Philosopher.

"Are what?" said Blanks.

"Blunt if they can see an English joke," said the Philosopher. "It is a sign of an unusually keen vision!" — Harper's Weekly.

Age of Oysters.

Oysters grow only during the summer and especially during the long warm summers at that, and are scarcely big enough for the mouth before the third year. It is easy after looking over a bunch of shells to tell how old an oyster is. A summer hump and the winter sink come across the shell every year, but after the seventh or tenth year full growth comes; then, by looking at the sinks between the humps it is hard to tell anything more about Miss Oyster's age. Oysters live to be 20 years old.

It's easy to see the blessings of poverty through the eyes of a millionaire.

FEED YOUNG GIRLS

Must Have Right Food While Growing.

Great care should be taken at the critical period when the young girl is just merging into womanhood that the diet shall contain that which is upbuilding and nothing harmful.

At that age the structure is being formed and if formed of a healthy, sturdy character, health and happiness will follow; on the other hand unhealthy cells may be built in and a sick condition slowly supervene which, if not checked, may ripen into a chronic condition and cause life-long suffering.

A young lady says:

"Coffee began to have such an effect on my stomach a few years ago that I finally quit using it. It brought on headaches, pains in my muscles, and nervousness.

I tried to use tea in its stead, but found its effects even worse than those I suffered from coffee. Then for a long time I drank milk at my meals, but at last it paled on me. A friend came to the rescue with the suggestion that I try Postum.

I did so, only to find at first that I didn't fancy it. But I had heard of so many persons who had been benefited by its use that I persevered, and when I had it made right—according to directions on the package—I found it grateful in flavor and soothing and strengthening to my stomach. I can find no words to express my feeling of what I owe to Postum!

In every respect it has worked a wonderful improvement—the headaches, nervousness, the pains in my side and back, all the distressing symptoms yielded to the magic power of Postum. My brain seems also to share in the betterment of my physical condition; it seems keener, more alert and brighter. I am, in short, in better health now than for a long while before, and I am sure I owe it to the use of your Postum." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason." Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are realistic, true, and full of human interest.

WISCONSIN STATE NEWS

Won at Last

By CARL JENKINS

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La Crosse.—Climbing a tower of the La Crosse Water Power company to get a look at the surrounding country, Henry Koblitz, aged nineteen years, attempted to throw a stone from his position and brought his arm in contact with a live wire over which flows the current which operates the street railway, the local lighting and power plant and practically all the industries of La Crosse. Instantly his clothing caught fire and he fell, a human torch, 55 feet to the ground. His clothing was burned from his body and his flesh was burned. Notwithstanding his injuries physicians said he would recover, as he sustained no internal injuries and broke no bones in his fall.

Fond du Lac.—Claiming that she was struck and injured by the defendant's auto while crossing National avenue, Milwaukee, on September 12, 1910, Eliza Sebastian brought suit against F. B. Friday for \$10,000 damages and the case is now on trial in the circuit court. It will be followed by a suit for a like amount brought by August Kelsen against Charles Steffens for alleged slander in connection with action for arson.

Racine.—The long drawn out controversy over a site for the proposed new county agricultural school in this county was settled when the site in the town of Rochester was selected by the state board. The site includes the old Rochester academy building and twenty acres of land. The town of Rochester voted \$4,000 toward the proposition, and the county board of supervisors appropriated \$30,000. Union Grove and Corliss both wanted the school.

Holton.—At a mass meeting held in the Holton college gym, the colony of Holton Greeks subscribed \$2,000 toward the cost of a first-class battleship for the Greek navy now being built in the Philadelphia navy yard. Admiral Spyros Matsoukas of Athens led the meeting.

Stevens Point.—John A. Weston, aged fifty, a tenant farmer at Junction City, after a desperate struggle with his wife and daughter in the darkness, shot the latter, aged twenty-one, and then committed suicide. The girl will recover. Weston formerly lived at Manawa and was said to be mentally unbalanced.

Fond du Lac.—The farmers of the towns of Ashford and Edon have organized the Town Line Cheese factory and equipped a plant with a daily capacity of 15,000 pounds of milk. The plant was built under the direction of Deputy State Food Inspector Alderhorn.

Waupaukon.—Charles Peterson, a local saloonkeeper, was accidentally shot in the abdomen by a companion while the latter was jumping out of a rig with a loaded shotgun. Peterson died a few hours later.

Madison.—The tenth annual convention of the Wisconsin Gideons came to an end with the installation of officers at the Presbyterian church. The officers are: President, A. H. Van Tassel, Beloit; vice-president, R. E. Thomas, Madison; secretary and treasurer, F. G. Hendricks, Fond du Lac.

Milwaukee.—Isaac Randolph, Chicago, designer of the improved \$4,000,000 harbor, lectured on the proposed improvement in the common council chamber Monday afternoon before members of the council, Merchants and Manufacturers' association, chamber of commerce and other interested citizens.

Grand Rapids.—Herman Nelson, a night watchman at Hocke's sawmill at Sherry, was found dead at his post of duty. The fact that the mill whistle did not blow as usual at seven o'clock caused uneasiness among the other employees who, upon investigation, found the dead body stretched across the door sill of the engine room.

Milwaukee.—The number of strikers at the breweries are now 500. Members of all building crafts unions affiliated with the Federated Trades council will walk out. A general strike of all brewery workers is threatened if an early agreement cannot be effected. The striking unions are the painters, electrical workers, metal workers, plumbers, steamfitters, iron workers, boilermakers, machinery movers and hoisting engineers.

Stratford.—Fire destroyed the cedar shingle shed of the Connor Lumber company's plant, with its contents and two carloads of pulp wood, then spread to the barns, burning two with several head of horses. The mill power was saved by hard effort. The loss is not estimated, but will reach several thousand dollars, fully covered by insurance.

Freudson.—Secretary of State Freudson has so far this year issued 2,768 licenses for automobiles and 472 for motorcycles, making a total of 18,600 automobiles and 1,790 motorcycles. Licenses issued since the law went into effect six years ago. The fee for an automobile license is \$2 and for a motorcycle \$1.

She was as good as her word. She entered the presence of that official with tears in her eyes to say:

"Zoke Parsons, you are a constable."

"Yes, widow, I have reached that high pinnacle."

"Ain't there a law against pestering a body?"

"There sure is."

"Then I am Jim Skeen arrested and jailed."

"Whew! Why, Jim Skeen wouldn't pester a fly."

"But I tell you he is pestering me!"

"So! How?"

"Asking me to marry him when I

From the Sea

Palace of the Dogs is a Sight Which Exceeds Imagination.

A few strokes from the sweeps soon brought me to one of the most marvelous prospects which the human eye can behold—the Plaza, seen from the sea. Standing in the bow of the motionless gondola, I gazed for some time in mute ecstasy upon that unrivaled picture, the only one, perhaps that imagination cannot surpass.

To the left, looking from seaward, the tower water of the municipal water plant here, damaged it so badly that when the pumps were turned on the tower collapsed and the city was without water until the mains could be connected with the tower at the Kissel motor car plant.

Mantowoc.—Blood poisoning from silver, so small that it could not be located, will permanently deprive Gus Levenhagen, a carpenter contractor, of the use of his fingers. Physicians say he is fortunate to have escaped loss of the arm or his life.

Martineau.—Philip Brueette and Frank Forsyth, two prisoners found guilty of wife abandonment, were sentenced to one year each at the state penitentiary by Judge S. D. Hastings. Brueette is a civil war veteran and recently left the Milwaukee Soldiers' Home.

Beloit.—Illinois fish commission will investigate the death of several hundred fish in Turtle creek. At least 1,000 pounds came to the surface and died during one day.

It is thought that dyes from a knitting factory caused the fish to be poi-

soned.

Judge not thy friend until thou standest in his place.—Hillel.

WHAT I WENT THROUGH

Before taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mr. James Skeen was a widower of fifty. He had the reputation of being a persistent man. As he had had a lawsuit that lasted twenty-two years, his persistence had been proved. It was also known that he had courted his wife for six years and then carried her off by main force.

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High Water Prevailing.
The water in the Wisconsin river at this point has been at the six foot mark for several days past which is higher than it has been for some time. The mills in this locality have all been operating to their full capacity for several weeks past and most of them already have a large pile of pulp on hand to tide them over the low water season that generally comes later in the year.

Moon Makes No Mistakes.

—On June 6th I will again come to Grand Rapids to relieve all who suffer. I treat all such ailments as appendicitis, bronchitis, goitre, asthma, catarrh of head and throat, headache, weak eyes, weak lungs, heart trouble, stomach, liver and bowel trouble, neuralgia, rheumatism, piles, kidney and bladder trouble, also all female weakness. I use no medicines, no knife. I treat all ailments by the laying on of the hands during the new of the moon. Phillip Yankel.

Market Report.

Pork	\$5.50
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Bacon	3.50
Butter	16.20
Dresser	5.00
Beef	5.00
Cooked	6.50
Pepper	1.00
Market dressed	6.50
Veal	8.00
Hams	8.00
Potatoes	1.00
Onions	2.00
	57.50

Mrs. Jane Naylor has been confined to the house with an attack of rheumatism for several weeks past, but is some better at this writing.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Ladies' Albrecht, Mrs. J. B.; Gollott, Mrs. Anna, card; Manning, Alice L.; Manchow, Miss Emma; Ross, Miss Minnie, card; Ross, Miss Minnie; Sauborn, Mrs. Flossie, card; Schmitz, Mrs. Fred.

Gentlemen: Olson, Ray, card; Olson, A., card; Burroughs, Earl, card; Cole, Ernest M.; Cappius, L. N., card; DeLange, O. J., foreign letter; Hanson's Magazine Agency, card; Huskins, L. P.; Klemeth, J. card; Kunz, Broz, card; Lewin, F. card; Paxton, W. R.; Phamor, P. card; Warner, W. H., card; Wing, W. W., card.

Baptist Church

Memorial service, G. A. R. and W. R. C. In attendance, at 10:45 a.m. Sunday School at noon; B. Y. P. U. 7:00 musical service with brief address on "Patriots," 7:15.

M. B. Milne, Pastor.

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WEST SIDE

RUDOLPH

A very pretty wedding took place at St. Philomena's Catholic church Wednesday morning, May 17th at 9 o'clock, when Rev. Fr. VanSover uniting in the holy bonds of matrimony Mr. Theodore DuBly and Miss Louis Akey both of this place. Miss Gertrude Akey, sister of the bride, attended as maid of honor and both were attired in white embroidery gowns and the bride carried a bouquet of bride roses and white carnations. Mr. Louis Joosten acted as best man and wore a suit of navy blue and the groom wore a suit of conventional black. After the ceremony a beautiful wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Akey. About fifty relatives and intimate friends participated in a wedding dance was given to their many friends in Marson's hall in the evening. The Elite orchestra of Stevens Point furnished the music. They will go to housekeeping in the house of his parents while his new house is being erected at once. Best wishes of their many friends for a long and happy wedded life.

Another of Rudolph's popular young ladies and Wood County's successful school teachers was married Monday morning, May 22nd at 9 o'clock at St. Philomena's Catholic church, Rev. Fr. VanSover officiating when Miss Addie Fox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claus Fox, became the bride of Mr. Francis Schulhoff. The attendants were Miss Helen Sweany of Duncy and Geo. Fox, brother of the bride. The bride wore a beautiful white silk gown and carried white and pink roses. The maid of honor wore a white embroidery dress. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claus Fox. In the evening a wedding dance was held in Marson's hall. Music was furnished by the Ellis orchestra. They will go to housekeeping in the town of Carson or the farm the groom recently purchased of his father. Best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

The cut of town guests at the DoBy-Akey wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Gleason Dolong of Edgar, Mrs. Isadore Liverash of Wausau, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Croteau of Mosinee, Miss Bertha Akey and Mrs. Hamm Akey of Grand Rapids.

Miss Vilma Baker returned to her home in Grand Rapids after a four weeks visit with her niece, Mrs. N. G. Ratello.

Mr. Pervis of Berlin arrived Saturday for an extended visit with her mother who is very sick.

Mrs. Will Bentz nee Lydia Johnson, who is stenographer in your city, spent Sunday with Miss Mary Paroh.

Dr. J. A. Jackson, vice president of the medical association, attended a meeting in your city Wednesday evening.

Mrs. John VanDorp of Milwaukee was at the wedding of Marson's hall Friday evening, May 20th. Fred Beall of Marshfield, Davo's trainer, will be there.

Mr. and Mr. Alfred Omnholt and three weeks old baby boy arrived from Glidden Saturday to be present at the marriage of his brother Lawrence and Miss Edna Bates to take place Wednesday, May 24th at the M. E. church. We are pleased to note that Silas Omnholt has so far recovered from his recent serious illness of pneumonia as to be able to go for a ride last Wednesday.

Peter Redmond of Duncy and John Bates from Rudolph were called to bed Grautie last Tuesday owing to

West Baden resort.

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Miss Grace Gegan visited with friends in Winona Saturday.

—A fine lot of Newfords horses at right prices at Newville.

John Lamey, the boy who Carson married last Sunday, is in the city of St. Paul.

—Mrs. E. M. Hay and daughter, tall, blonde, fair-haired, in Junction City in Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Karmitz of Almeny had a quiet time in their city over Sunday.

Miss E. A. Yerke returned Saturday from a vacation with her parents at Grand Marais.

—The woman purchased a new car and will start touring immediately Friday.

—F. W. Langford of Chippewa Falls in the city Sunday to spend a week with his wife visiting with his friends at town.

Anthony Jez, a young Marquette College student from Milwaukee, is staying in his parent's home at 1110 Franklin.

—He came back to town in the city on Friday after a week's absence.

—Matt Deitch and daughter, Mrs. Edith Deitch of Milwaukee, who was married at the Central Hotel in Monroe Company, spending a few days in the city before returning to their home in Monday.

—Mrs. George Johnson, mother of Margaret Johnson, who died in the city on Friday, was buried Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Anna Johnson.

—Phenold son of A. W. Fiedel of Elkhorn visited the city Saturday and Tuesday. He is going to be busy in a sandstone quarry in the center of town.

George Lueker, received a new oak round-top table and chairs from his son, George, in the city on Saturday.

—He left one of the machines working in a furniture shop in town when he left town Tuesday afternoon.

—L. E. Weller and Judge John M. Webster from Menomonie in Wisconsin, where they left from, arrived Tuesday night by the standard route.

—P. P. Lewis, formerly a member of the St. Louis Club here, is now a member of the Abbot Club in town.

—He has received his new baptismal name of St. Peter.

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—H. H. Miller, one of the enterprising citizens of the town of Grand Rapids, was a pleasant character this afternoon. We met him and talked about putting up the Grand Rapids Tribune at our house for the past week.

—The last will give the usual weekly concert at the east side band stand this evening preceded by the weather permit.

—It is the weather I am unable to make a plan during the week.

—Haro Lind was called to Wades on Saturday by the illness of his brother Oscar who has been an inmate of the Sanitarium the past year for tuberculosis. Mr. Lind reports that his brother's condition is not very good at present.

—Tom Gossman will call to Allmar, Oconto county, N. W. Avenue Monday to attend the funeral of his mother who had died Sunday at the age of 63 years. It was only last November that Mr. Gossman was called back east to attend the funeral of his father.

—George Rivers of Rudolph was among the callers at the Tribune office on Saturday while in the city on business. Mr. Rivers reports that the crop was at a great deal of damage up in his neighborhood and many of the early plantings have been almost totally destroyed.

—Matt Hemmings, who was one of the fine teams in the vicinity of Mechanic, was a business visitor in the city on Monday. Mr. Hemmings has lived in Stevens Point the past two years having rented his farm during that time but this spring decided that farming was better than life and has again taken possession of the old home.

—T. P. Peacock and Geo. N. Wood returned on Saturday from Milwaukee where they had gone to bring up Mr. Peacock's new Maxwell automobile. They found the roads rather muddy on account of the recent rains but had no difficulty in getting through all right. They took two days in the trip stopping Friday night at Waupaca.

—The following notice was found posted on the wall of a deserted shanty on a homestead in the wild region of Canada: "Pear miles from a post office, twenty miles from a railroad, fourteen miles from a schoolhouse, forty miles from a church, hundred and eighty miles from timber, two hundred miles from a Republican half a mile from hell, and the same distance from a Democrat. Come to Wisconsin, which is God's country, to get a fresh start."

—Call at J. W. Warwick's and look over his line of rags whether you want to buy or not.

D. Woodruff of Vespa was a businees visitor in the city on Monday.

—A tapestry Brussels rug 9x12 size only \$11.00 at Warwick's furniture store.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Thorsell of Bismarck are visiting at the Louis Hotel here this week.

—Mrs. Helen Taylor spent Saturday and Sunday at Winona the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Jones.

—H. L. Dunn expects to leave the first part of next week for Twin Mountains where he will spend the summer.

—Miss Eunice Wheeler of New Roma was in the city shopping on Monday. She is acknowledging a pleasant call.

—Mrs. G. W. Merrill expects to leave Thursday for Spirit Lake where she will visit her people for a week.

—Miss Bessie Hall of Chicago arrived in the city on Sunday for a visit of two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall in the town of Sigel.

—A. C. Larson of Madison state manager for the Central Hotel in Monroe Company, spending a few days in the city before returning to the city of Winona.

—B. S. Van Bush, a conductor for the State Auditor with department of agriculture, is a light man and is said that he will be right weight in a day.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Miss Isabell Smithson were operated on Saturday at the River view Hospital this past week. Both are getting along nicely.

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A fine line of Baby Brussels Rugs at right prices at Warwick's.

John Langer of the town of Carson transacted business in the city on Saturday.

Mrs. E. M. Hayes and daughter Ethel visited with friends in Junction City on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chew, Kurnitz of Almond visited with relatives in the city over Sunday.

Miss Tessa Yeter returned on Saturday from a week's visit with her parents at Grandin.

Fred Master, 14-year-old purchased the fine passenger Cadillac touring car owned by F. J. Wood.

B. T. Worthington of Beloit arrived in the city on Saturday to spend a week or two visiting with his friends at town.

Anthony Lozeau, a student at Marquette College, has been home for several days past visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Lozeau.

O. G. Lindeman of Chicago was in the city on Monday on business. While here he visited the Tribune office with a pleasant call.

Kenneth Smith of Beloit arrived in the city last week to spend his vacation visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Davis.

Mrs. George Grignon and children of Virginia, Minn., arrived in the city on Thursday for an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. N. Grignon.

Plainfield Sun--R. A. Weeks of Grand Rapids was not Wednesday and Thursday looking after business interests and doing some work in the cemetery.

George Becker received his new oak furniture last week and has since been riding in style. The car is one of the handsomest little runabouts in town.

Fred Pultz, one of the hustling young business men of Randolph, was a business visitor in the city on Thursday. This citizen acknowledges a very pleasant call.

P. J. Wood and Judge Chas. M. Webb returned on Monday from West Baden, where they had been taking treatment. They both feel much improved by the rest and change.

J. P. Temple, formerly agent for the Soo Line at Albertville, has been transferred to this city to take charge of the business of the company here, and he assumed the position of agent last week.

We are now ready to do dress-making at 340 Third Ave. South. Amanda Stev'n Elsie Swannell, tr. pd.

Dr. J. J. Lowe received his new Hispano touring car last week, which is a four passenger machine and a very nice looking car. Ned Thomas also received his new May runabout last week.

The first open air band concert of the season was given last Wednesday evening under the leadership of Prof. Merrill. The general verdict of the public is that the band is improving right along under the new leadership.

The Grand Rapids band is wanted at Neenah for the Fourth of July, as it seems they are going to celebrate the nation's holiday down there in proper style. As there is nothing on the cards here it is possible that the boys may accept.

H. H. Miller, one of the enterprising farmers of the town of Grand Rapids, was a pleasant caller at this office on Wednesday and before departing ordered the Grand Rapids Tribune sent out to his home for the ensuing year.

The band will give the usual weekly concert at the east side band stand this evening provided the weather permits. If the weather is unfavorable an effort will be made to hold it some other night during the week.

"Hans Lind" was called to Wausau on Saturday by the illness of his brother Oscar, who has been an inmate of the sanitarium the past year for tuberculosis. Mr. Lind reports that his brother's condition is not very good at present.

Louis Goodness was called to Altmar, Oswego county, New York, on Monday to attend the funeral of his mother, who died on Sunday at the age of 63 years. It was only last November that Mr. Goodness was called back east to attend the funeral of his father.

George Rivers of Randolph was among the callers at the Tribune office on Saturday while in the city on business. Mr. Rivers reports that the cut worms are doing a great deal of damage up in his neighborhood and many of the early plantings have been almost totally destroyed.

Matt Hammis, who owns one of the fine farms in the vicinity of Menomonie, was a business visitor in the city on Monday. Mr. Hammis has lived in Stevens Point the past two years having rented his farm during that time, but this spring decided that farming was better than city life and has again taken possession of the old home.

T. P. Pereboom and Geo. N. Wood returned on Saturday from Milwaukee where they had gone to bring up Mr. Pereboom's new Maxwell runabout. They found the roads rather muddy on account of the recent rains, but had no difficulty in getting thru all right. They took two days in the trip, stopping Friday night at Waupaca.

The following notice was found posted on the wall of a deserted shanty on a homestead in the wild region of Canada: "Four miles from a neighbor, sixteen miles from a post-office, twenty miles from a railroad, fourteen miles from a schoolhouse, forty miles from a church, hundred and eighty miles from timber, two hundred miles from a Republican half a mile from hell, and the same distance from a Democrat. Good to Wisconsin, which is God's country, to get a fresh start."

Call at J. W. Warwick's and look over his line of rugs whether you want to buy or not.

D. Woodruff of Vesper was a business visitor in the city on Monday.

Tapestry Brussels rugs, 6x12 size, only \$1.50 at Natwick's furniture store.

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Miss Helen Taylor spent Saturday and Sunday at Wausau the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Jones.

H. C. Timm expects to leave the fore part of next week for Flinn, Montana, where he will spend the summer.

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I. E. Wilcox and Ray Johnson returned from Alma Center on Sunday where they conducted a very successful coat and suit sale on Friday and Saturday for the Johnson & Hill Co.

Tomahawk is to have a Chautauqua from the 2d to 9th of July, 1911. Several prominent men have been engaged to speak at the meetings, among whom is Richard P. Hobson of Merrimac fame.

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Aside from the Overland pilot car which has been offered by Geo. W. Brown, the Case car to be used by the technical committee, the Ramblar to be used as the official press car and the Peerless to be used as the pace maker, Orrin R. Hughes, state agent for the Garford car, has offered the use of one of his large 7 passenger cars for any purpose that the executive committee of the state association may select and it is possible that it will be used as the official physician's car, or as an extra press car, as there seem to be a number of newspaper men who desire to attend this tour.

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Fishing Hints.

Fishermen, like liars, should have good memories.

A trout well stocked to is as good as a lie, and often carries conviction.

A fish in the frying pan is worth two in your mind.

Fish often continue to grow after being caught.

You might as well tell a good story while you are about it. It doesn't hurt anybody but yourself and encourages the business.

Different members of a party should agree on the same story as it often saves confusion later on.

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The Centenary of the War of 1812

The true story of
the opening battle
told for the first time
By Prof. B. D. Cigrand.

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Mirtilla—He proposed, but I didn't say yes. I want to keep him on the rack for awhile.

Miranda—Be careful, or you may find yourself on the shelf.

If you want a thing well done, do it yourself—Wellington.

LADIES CAN WEAR BRAVES
A ladies' magazine for young Allen's Post House.
The authentic powder to be made when the ladies
are in the house. It makes them look like real
ladies. Price 10 cents. For free trial packages, mail
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Many a girl would promise to marry a man if she thought he wouldn't be so silly as to expect her to live up to her promise.

For over fifty years Robinson and Morris have suffered have found great relief in Hamlin Wizard Oil. Don't wait for inflammation to set in. Get a bottle today.

Strictly Business.
Mrs. Knicker—Did you hold a short session with your husband?

Mrs. Becker—Yes, I merely had him pass an appropriation bill.

Wool fabrics only are employed in the making of "SINCERITY CLOTHES," produced by Kuh, Nathan & Fischer Company, Chicago. Write for Style Book No. 7.

Consistent.

Doctor—You are considerably under weight, sir. What have you been doing?

Patient—Nothing. But I'm a retired grocer, doc.—Puck.

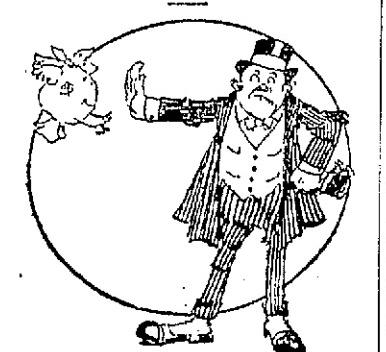
Well Mated.

Thus the languishing boudoir: "What has become of the old-fashioned woman who used to call wedded reception an infarct?"

Response by the white-haired boarder:

"I think she married the old-fashioned man who used to crack his knuckles regularly twice a day."

THE BEST WAY.



Ho doesn't care for money,
But his purse is far from slim;
It's big enough, they say, to make
His money care for him.

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A trial package of Munyon's Paw Paw Pills will be sent free to anyone on request. Address Professor Munyon, 332 & Jefferson Sts., Philadelphia, Pa. If you are in need of medical advice, do not fail to write Professor Munyon. Your communication will be treated in strict confidence, and your case will be diagnosed as carefully as though you had a personal interview.

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I had my way I could prohibit the sale of either member of the cathartics that are now being sold for the reason that they soon destroy the lining of the stomach, setting up serious forms of indigestion, and so paralyze the bowels that they refuse to act unless forced by strong purgatives.

Munyon's Paw Paw Pills are tonic to the stomach, liver and nerves. They invigorate instead of weaken; they enrich the blood instead of impoverish it; they enable the stomach to get all the nourishment from food that is put into it.

These pills contain no calomel, no soap; they are soothing, healing and stimulating. They school the bowels to act without physic.

Regular size bottle, containing 45 pills, 25 cents. Munyon's Laboratory, 332 & Jefferson Sts., Philadelphia.

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100 YEARS OLD

Peint's Eye Salve

On May 16, 1811, one hundred years ago, the first shot was fired in the second war with England. Thus the one hundredth anniversary of the beginning of the "war of 1812" is not in 1912, but fell on May 16, 1911! It was the beginning of a naval engagement off the coast of Virginia, and the thunder of the opening gun has been referred to as "the second shot which was heard around the world." Indeed the battle might well be known as "Lexington of the war of 1812." Yet, strange to say, both the American and British governments have persistently endeavored to eliminate from history's pages this unique naval combat, and apparently tried to keep the people in ignorance of what actually transpired on the high seas on that memorable occasion. Though nearly a score of sailors were slain, the affair was hushed up as far as possible through governmental influence on both sides of the water, notwithstanding that the incident helped to change the geography of the Western Hemisphere and marked a red-letter day in our naval annals. It was the awakening of the new American spirit, the inauguration of the red foreign policy of the United States, the beginning of our international influence.

Rodgers repeated his half. Then a response came from the stranger in the shape of a sheet of flame and a round-shot which hurtled along the upper deck of "The President" and buried itself in the main mast.

Before Rodgers could give the command to "return fire" one of his eager gunners anticipated his leader's instructions, and the first shot fired by an American vessel in the war of 1812 thundered forth defiance to the foe.

The commodore then gave the order to engage, and the broadsides of both craft crashed in unison.

A pair of blackness had now descended on the deep, and the battle raged fiercely on by the dim rays of the deck lanterns and red flashes from the cannons' mouths. Suddenly the enemy ceased firing, and Rodgers gave orders to follow suit, believing that she had surrendered. But the momentary lull was broken by another broadside from the stranger, and the powder-begrimed, cheering Americans repiled in kind. Through the darkness of the night they fought on steadily, until again their adversary's fire was silenced. For the third time Rodgers' stentorian voice roared across the waters: "What ship is that?"

The response came back faintly: "We are his majesty's ship."

The wind was blowing strongly and away from "The President," and prevented the conqueror from hearing the name of the defeated craft. The rigging of the enemy was badly cut up and shattered and her decks were crimson shambles. At daylight Commodore Rodgers ascertained that of the battered hull his guns had hammered so mercilessly through the night to be the Little Bell, a consort of the dreaded Guerriere frigate.

When the President reached home and the news of her exploit and victory was made known, the heroes of the battle were everywhere received with tremendous enthusiasm. For a short while Commodore Rodgers was praised and lionized on all sides, but what a whole nation seemed powerless to accomplish was at length achieved by a single person equipped with the necessary amount of nerve and the disregard of consequences. It was a plain case of "the right man in the right place at the right time." On May 16, 1811, this unusual combination of qualities and circumstances was harmonized to cope successfully with a national emergency. Our histories lay little stress on this really important event, and a close investigation of the nation's unpublished archives reveals certain salient facts concerning it which are now set forth fully in print for the first time:

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"I have known this lad personally from childhood," he asserted, "and know him to have been born in the state of Maine."

"All that may be so," responded the British captain, "but what can you do about it—he has no protection?"

Under the circumstances the argument was unanswerable, and the lad was carried off in the Guerriere. The Washington authorities were duly notified of the occurrence, but apparently they had become so accustomed to such happenings that little or nothing was done in the matter, and the documents relating to the inquiry rested in dusty pigeonholes of departmental desks. Finally a genuine sea captain chanced to assume the duty of the hour, and the war department, acting under some pressure the details of which are not made clear in the official records open to the public, gave orders for the frigate, the President, to cruise on the Atlantic off Chesapeake bay.

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WISCONSIN STATE NEWS

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By CARL JENKINS

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La Crosse.—Climbing a tower of the La Crosse Water Power company to get a look at the surrounding country, Henry Kobitz, aged nineteen years, attempted to throw a stone from his position and brought his arm in contact with a live wire over which flows the current which operates the street railway, the local lighting and power plant and practically all the industries of La Crosse. Instantly his clothing caught fire and he fell, a human torch, 25 feet to the ground. His clothing was burned from his body and his hair was burned. Notwithstanding his injuries physicians said he would recover, as he sustained no internal injuries and broke no bones in his fall.

Fond du Lac.—Claiming that she was struck and injured by the defendant's auto while crossing National avenue, Milwaukee, on September 16, 1911, Eliza Sebastian brought suit against F. H. Friday for \$10,000 damages and the case is now on trial in the circuit court. It will be followed by a suit for a like amount brought by August Kensi against Charles Stevens for alleged slander in connection with action for arson.

Racine.—The long drawn out controversy over a site for the proposed new county agricultural school in this county was settled when the site in the town of Rochester was selected by the state board. The site includes the old Rochester academy building and twenty acres of land. The town of Rochester voted \$4,000 toward the proposition, and the county board of supervisors appropriated \$30,000. Union Grove and Corliss both wanted the school.

Heldt.—At a mass meeting held in the Heilbott college gym, the colony of Beloit Greeks subscribed \$2,000 toward the cost of first-class battleship for the navy now being built in the Philadelphia navy yard. Admiral Spyros Matsoukas of Athens led the meeting.

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TWAS VERY GOOD.

An interesting story is told regarding the efforts of an Eskimo to construct a telephone line. The Eskimo came into possession of a piece of wire of considerable length and never having seen wire before he asked Professor McMillan of the Peary north pole expedition what it was and what it was for. He was told that the white man strung it on poles stuck in the ground and a voice talking to an instrument at one end could be heard at the other end. After some search the next morning the Eskimo was found to be engaged in telephone construction work of his own. He stuck some telephones in the ground and hung his wife on them. He held one end of the wire to his mouth and talked to it at the top of his voice. Then he ran as fast as he could to the other end and held the wire to his ear with the expectation of hearing his own words repeated.

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Stevens Point.—John A. Weston, aged fifty, a tenant farmer at Junction City, after a desperate struggle with his wife and daughter in the darkness, shot the latter, aged twenty-one, and then committed suicide. The girl will recover. Weston formerly lived at Manawa and was said to be mentally unbalanced.

Fond du Lac.—The farmers of the towns of Ashford and Eden have organized the Town Line Cheese factory and equipped a plant with a daily capacity of 15,000 pounds of milk. The plant was built under the direction of Deputy State Food Inspector Alderhof.

Wausau—Charles Peterson, a local saloonkeeper, was accidentally shot in the abdomen by a companion while the latter was jumping out of a rig with a loaded shotgun. Peterson died a few hours later.

Madison.—The tenth annual convention of the Wisconsin Gideons came to an end with the installation of officers at the Presbyterian church. The officers are: President, A. H. Van Tassel, Beloit; vice-president, R. E. Thomas, Madison; secretary and treasurer, F. C. Hendrickson, Fond du Lac.

Milwaukee—Isiah Randolph, Chicago designer of the improved \$4,000,000 harbor, lectured on the proposed improvement in the common council chamber Monday afternoon before members of the council, merchants and manufacturers' association, chamber of commerce and other interested citizens.

Grand Rapids—Norman Nelson, a night watchman at Hecker's sawmill at Sherry, was found dead at his post of duty. The fact that the mill whistle did not blow as usual at seven o'clock caused uneasiness among the other employees who, upon investigation, found the dead body stretched across the door sill of the engine room.

Milwaukee.—The number of strikers at the breweries are now 500. Members of all building crafts unions affiliated with the Federated Trades council walked out. A general strike of all brewery workers is threatened if an early agreement cannot be effected. The striking unions are the painters, electrical workers, metal workers, plumbers, steamfitters, iron workers, boilermakers, machinery movers and hoisting engineers.

Stratford.—Fire destroyed the cedar shingle shed of the Connor Lumber company's plant, with its contents and two carloads of pulp wood, then spread to the barns, burning two with several head of horses. The mill property was saved by hard effort. The loss is not estimated, but will reach several thousand dollars, fully covered by insurance.

Age of Oysters.

Oysters grow only during the summer and especially during the long, warm summers at that, and are scarce big enough for the mouth before the third year. It is easy after looking over a bunch of shells to tell how old an oyster is. A summer hump shell the winter sink come across the shell every year, but after the seventh or tenth year full growth comes; then, by looking at the sinks between the humps it is hard to tell anything more about Miss Oyster's age. Oysters live to be 20 years old.

It's easy to see the blessings of poverty through the eyes of a millionaire.

FEED YOUNG GIRLS Must Have Right Food While Growing.

Great care should be taken at the critical period when the young girl is just merging into womanhood that the diet shall contain that which is upbuilding and nothing harmful.

At that age the structure is being formed and if formed of a healthy, sturdy character, health and happiness will follow; on the other hand unhealthy cells may be built in and a sick condition slowly supervene which, if not checked, may ripen into a chronic condition and cause life-long suffering.

A young lady says:

"Coffee began to have such an effect on my stomach a few years ago that I finally quit using it. It brought on headaches, pains in my muscles, and nervousness."

"I tried to use tea in its stead, but found its effects even worse than those I suffered from coffee. Then for a long time I drank milk at my meals, but at last it palled on me. A friend came to the rescue with the suggestion that I try Postum."

"I did so, only to find at first, that I didn't fancy it. But I had heard of so many persons who had been benefited by its use that I persevered, and when I had it made right—according to directions on the package—I found it grateful in flavor and soothing and strengthening to my stomach. I can find no words to express my feeling of what I owe to Postum!"

"In every respect it has worked a wonderful improvement—the headaches, nervousness, the pains in my side and back, all the distressing symptoms yielded to the magic power of Postum. My brain seems also to share in the betterment of my physical condition; it seems keener, more alert and brighter. I am, in short, in better health now than for long while before, and I am sure I owe it to the use of your Postum." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A few appear from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

WHAT I WENT THROUGH

Before taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mr. James Skeen was a widower of fifty. He had the reputation of being a persistent man. As he had had a lawsuit that lasted twenty-two years, his persistence had been proved. It was also known that he had courted his wife for six years and then carried her off by main force.

Mrs. Faber was a widow. She was pretty well fixed financially, and she didn't care to marry again. She had been put to the test and had refused. She was honest and good-natured, and Widower Skeen had no moral or legal right to come bothering. But he did. He made up his mind one day to ask her to be his wife. He expected to be refused, but that didn't worry him.

The widower was hoeing corn in a lot next to the widow's house. He was barefooted and had on a torn shirt, a pair of overalls and an old straw hat. Five minutes after making his call, he dropped his hoe, climbed the fence and appeared at the widow's back door. She was scurrying a milk pan. She had polished her nose as well as the pan.

"Look-a-heere, widow," said Mr. Skeen, "what's the matter of me and you getting married?"

"Lord save us," gasped the widow as she polished her hand instead of the pan.

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High Water Prevailing.

The water in the Wisconsin river at this point has been at the six foot mark for several days past which is higher than it has been for some time. The mills in this locality have all been operating to their full capacity for several weeks past and most of them already have a large pile of pulp on hand to tide them over the low water season that generally comes later in the year.

Moon Makes No Mistakes.

On June 6th I will again come to Grand Rapids to relieve all who suffer from all such ailments as appendicitis, bronchitis, goiter, asthma, catarrh of head and throat, headache, weak eyes, weak lungs, heart trouble, stomach, liver and bowel trouble, neuralgia, rheumatism, piles, kidney and bladder trouble, also all female weakness. I use no medicine, no knife. I treat all ailments by the laying on of the hands during the new moon.

Phillip Yaskel.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Ladies. Albrecht, Mrs. J. B.; Collett, Mrs. Anna, card; Maunius, Alter L.; Manchow, Miss Emma; Ross, Miss Minnie, card; Ross, Miss Minnie; Sauborn, Mrs. Flossie, card; Scheila, Mrs. Fred.

Gentlemen. Olson, Ray, card; Olson, A., card; Berthrong, Earl, card; Cole, Ernest M.; Coppel, L. N., card; DeLange, C. J., foreign letter; Hunsong Magazine Agency, card; Huskins, L. P.; Klamath, F. card; Kunz, Bros., card; Lewis, P., card; Puton, W. R.; Palmer, Henry, Pinski, Jack; Thompson, W. H.; Wing, W. W., card.

Baptist Church

Memorial service, G. A. R. and W. R. C. in attendance, at 10:45; Sunday School at noon; B. Y. P. U., 7:30 musical service with brief address on "Patriots," 7:45. M. B. Milus, Pastor.

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WEST SIDE

RUDOLPH

A very pretty wedding took place at St. Philomena's Catholic church Wednesday morning, May 16th at 9 o'clock, when Rev. Fr. VanSever united in the holy bonds of matrimony Mr. Theodore DeByl and Miss Louisa Akey both of this place. Miss Gartrude Akey, sister of the bride, acted as maid of honor and both were attired in white embroidery gowns and the bride carried a bouquet of bridal roses and white carnations. Mr. Louis Johnston acted as best man and wore a suit of navy blue and the groom were a suit of conventional black. After the ceremony a beautiful wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Akey. About fifty relatives and intimate friends participated. A wedding dance was given to their many friends in Marquette's hall in the evening. The Elite orchestra of Stevens Point furnished the music. They will go to housekeeping in the house of his parents while his new house is being erected at once. Best wishes of their many friends for a long and happy wedded life.

Another of Rudolph's popular young ladies and Wood County's successful school teachers was married Monday morning, May 2nd at 9 o'clock at St. Philomena's Catholic church, Rev. Fr. VanSever officiating when Miss Adalie Fox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fox, became the bride of Mr. Francis Schellhardt. The attendants were Miss Helen Sweeney of DeWitt and Geo. Fox, brother of the bride. The bride wore a beautiful white silk gown and carried white and pink roses. The maid of honor wore a white embroidery dress. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fox. In the evening a wedding dance was held in Marquette's hall. Music was furnished by the Elks orchestra. They will go to housekeeping in the town of Carson on the farm the groom recently purchased of his father. Best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

The out of town guests at the DeByl-Akey wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Gleason Dolong of Edgar, Mrs. Isadore Livernash of Winona, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Croteau of Mosinee, Miss Bertha Akey and Mrs. Haunui Akey of Grand Rapids.

Miss Vinnie Baker returned to her home in Grand Rapids after a four weeks visit with her niece, Mrs. N. G. Ratelle.

Mrs. Pervis of Berlin arrived Saturday for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Jackson.

Tony Farrenbom of the Grand Rapids Tea & Coffee store, has informed us that the next trip he makes up here he will come with his new Maxwell automobile.

Mr. Porter, agent for the J. I. Case Threshing Machine Co. of Racine, was up here Thursday on business with N. G. Rattelle.

A wrestling match between David Shurkey of Rudolph and John Little of Milwaukee will take place in Marquette's hall Friday evening, May 26th. Fred Bell of Marshfield, Dave's trainer, will be referee.

Mr. and Mr. Alfred Oanholt and three weeks old baby boy arrived from Glidden Saturday to be present at the marriage of his brother, Lawrence and Miss Ethel Bates to take place Wednesday, May 24th at the M. E. church. We are pleased to note that Silas Oanholt has so far recovered from his recent serious illness of pneumonia as to be able to go for a ride last Wednesday.

Peter Redmond of Dandy and John Bates from Rudolph were called to Red Granite last Tuesday owing to

the serious illness of Mrs. Asa Bates who is a daughter of Mr. Redmond. Our lilacs were all in bloom so pretty last week but since the hard rain we had Sunday they are all spoiled.

The poles for the new telephone lines arrived the first of last week and are being put in place. The new cross arms have been put on the old poles.

John Johnston and Arsenio Ratoile were in your city on business Saturday evening.

The many friends of Miss Adalie Fox tendered her a shower last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson of your city spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clark. Mrs. Johnson expects to make an extended visit.

The farmers of this section of the country are suffering great losses to their grain by the cut worm, destroying acres and acres of oats, wheat and barley.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Kersten came from Fort Edwards Saturday evening to be present at the marriage of their daughter, Miss Addie Fox.

There were no exercises at the M. E. church last Sunday on account of the rain but on Sunday, June 4th, there will be appropriate exercises for Children's Day. Everybody is cordially invited to bear the date in mind.

Walter Boyer, a young man from Merrill, who moved from here when he was a small boy, has been here ransoming old acquaintances and will work here the coming summer if he gets a good job.

Kenneth and Mildred Bowker have the whooping cough.

Mrs. Geo. Elliott spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday in your city with her brother, N. J. Richards and family. She returned Monday morning.

It is not very enjoyable to follow a young married couple when you are not wanted and the result is not always very pleasant, especially if a person has to hire a horse and buggy of strangers. That is what Arthur Clark and Miss Eva Akey found out at Mansfield last Monday when they hired a horse to drive to Howell and the horse walked into a moving freight train. No one was seriously injured but both might have been killed. The buggy was smashed and the horse badly scalded.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott were called to Shiocton Thursday to see his mother who is very sick.

Mrs. Will Bentz nee Lydia Jeppe, who is stenographer in your city, spent Sunday with Miss Mary Perl.

Dr. J. A. Jackson, vice president of the medical association, attended a meeting in your city Wednesday evening.

Mrs. John VanDolope of Milwaukee was in attendance at the wedding of her brother, Francis Schellhardt.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sutor of Grand Rapids attended the Schellhardt-Fox wedding.

The marriage of Anton Fischer of DePere and Miss Anna Johnson of this place took place at the Catholic church Tuesday morning, May 23rd at 8 o'clock. After a wedding breakfast they drove to the Rapids and took the Green Bay train for their future home in DePere, where the groom has a large farm.

Fred Schultz is spending a few days with relatives in Dodge County.

T. E. Mullen departed on Sunday night for Chicago where he joined a crowd of northern Wisconsin business men to spend ten days at the famous West Baden resort.

The interest of each and all are the same as the interest of every other

COMMERCIAL CLUB. DON'T KICK BUT WORK

By Geo. L. Williams

I am told that there are a few citizens who feel hurt because they were not presented with the pledge or agreement to join the Commercial Club, in other words that they did not have an opportunity to either sign or refuse to sign. That they feel that they were slighted, and that an insult was indirectly handed to them, because they were overlooked, or were not seen by persons who were going around with the paper previous to the meeting Thursday night. Some say that they were not called upon and have got the idea into their heads that the Commercial Club has been started by persons who desire to form a kind of exclusive set, a sort of silk stocking affair.

Now, I want if possible to disabuse everybody of the idea that any slight or insult, was intended by the fact that the paper was not presented to him. I want if possible to disabuse persons minds of the idea that this Commercial Club was hatched, is being pushed or will hereafter be pushed by an exclusive set. This Commercial Club is for all poor and rich, and there is not a single person of the whole One Hundred and Nine who have now signed, who does not want everybody else to come in and have a share and participate in the good work. Persons who seem to have some sort of a grudge on this matter should forget it. You must remember that this organization has been started as stated in the Articles of Incorporation, "FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROMOTING THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL INTERESTS, WELFARE AND BETTERMENT OF THE CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS ON ALL LINES," and in order to succeed we must have the united effort of every citizen, whether he is a tax payer or not. You must remember further that there is no money in it, for those who have taken an active hand in promoting the organization of this Commercial Club. What benefits such promoters get will only be indirect, by helping the whole City, and which will be to some extent beneficial to everybody else. Persons who went around with the list and sought to get subscribers spent their time freely, and without compensation, as is true of all who have been engaged in actively of promoting this organization.

Those who are inclined to kick because they were not seen or solicited OUGHT TO FORGET IT, because some of those having the subscription list called at least once on you, when you happened not to be in your place of business, and the fact that you did not happen to see the paper was either an accident or an oversight. Remember further in this connection that no man who comes into this Commercial Club is conferring a favor upon any individual member, whether he was one of the promoters or not. By becoming a member of the Club you are simply conferring a favor upon yourself and doing what you ought to do for the whole City.

If you object that you did not know of the meeting which was held Thursday evening, because you would have been present, and had a chance to get one of the offices, let me say to you, that there are nowhere near enough offices to go around, that there is scarce a person who was elected to one of the offices who would not be perfectly willing to let someone else have the thankless job. Officers elected have a pile of work to do and each and all must work without pay.

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